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RUSSO-AMERICAN TENSION EXPECTED TO GET WORSE

Two Russians killed in S'hai clash

Two Soviet soldiers were killed in a clash with Chinese Communist soldiers near Kiangwan airfield in Shanghai, according to a Tsinan message in the "Wah Kiu Yat Po" yesterday.

The report said that the incident occurred on April 7 when seven drunken Soviet soldiers accosted five Chinese women accompanying a cart loaded with household items. A passing Chinese Communist patrol tried to intervene. As a result the clash occurred in which two Soviet soldiers were killed and a number of Chinese soldiers wounded.

The fight was broken up on the arrival of Chinese Communist officers who apologized on the spot for the killing of the two Russian soldiers.

BRITISH BARRACKS OCCUPIED

San Francisco, April 12. Peking Radio reported today that the British barracks in Peking have been taken over and occupied by the Peking Military Control Commission. The occupation was carried out at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday.

The broadcast recalled that the American, Dutch and French barracks had been occupied several months ago. It said that on April 4 the British Consulate was served with a week's notice that the British barracks would also be taken over.

According to Tuesday morning a contingent of Communist troops arrived and by 1 p.m. on Tuesday had completed the occupation.

(British diplomatic authorities in Hong Kong told the United Press that the barracks are adjacent to the Consular compound, but that there is no wall separating the two compounds. It is believed there were no Consular personnel living in the barracks, although some private families might have been residing there.)

(The barracks area covers about 20 acres, including some stables, houses and the barracks where 300 soldiers of the Legation Guard were formerly housed.)

(These quarters termed the move not very surprising, in view of the previous occupation of the American, Dutch and French barracks. At that time, the Communists maintained that the barracks had never been a part of the Consular compounds of the various countries. Occupation of the British barracks was presumably based on the same contention.)

A link?
Officials in London are unwilling to speculate whether the move is linked with the protracted Peking negotiations to establish diplomatic relations between Britain and the Chinese People's Government.

There has been no development in the negotiations since Mr. Hutchinson, the Charge d'Affaires called at the Peking Foreign Ministry on March 17 and gave British replies to a series of questions posed by the People's Government. These are understood to have included: 1. Why did Britain not support the candidature of a Peking delegate at the United Nations?

2. A query about the presence of a British consul in Taiwan. 3. What is the British attitude to the assets of the Chinese Nationalist regime?—United Press and Reuter.

THE WEATHER

At 0800 GMT (3 a.m. HKST) the depression to the S of Japan continues to move slowly Eastward. The pressure over China is unknown.
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New crisis forecast over plane incident WASHINGTON TO REJECT PROTEST BY RUSSIANS

Washington, April 12.

The United States is expected to issue a tartly-worded rejection of the Russian protest against alleged frontier violation by an American plane, according to Washington diplomatic and military authorities.

These circles expect the United States to issue a counter-protest against Russia's apparent firing upon an unarmed American plane. They forecast a sharpening of tension, further deterioration of relations between the countries and additional exchanges of angry notes.

They predict a situation similar to that which followed Russia's blockade of Berlin. State Department officials are not treating lightly Russia's official protest. But officials add that they do not want to pick a fight with anyone. Russia, too, they think, wants to avoid an open fight within the foreseeable future.

Government officials take a serious but calm view of the strong Soviet protest about the mysterious air fight over Latvia last Saturday. They are carefully compiling all available information on the incident before replying to the Russians.

But it is feared the Russians shot an unarmed navy Privateer plane, missing on a routine flight from Germany to Denmark. If this turns out to be true, diplomatic sources say, the United States could accuse the Soviet before the world of "wanting" murder of the 10-man crew.

The State Department could almost certainly challenge Russia's statement that Soviet fighters encountered an American plane over the important Soviet naval base in Leningrad. American planes had received strict orders to avoid the air territory of Russia or its satellites. And it is extremely doubtful that the Copenhagen-bound navy plane could have wandered so far off its course.

The State Department's reply could most certainly give a denial to the charge that the plane opened fire on Soviet fighters. If the attacked plane was the Privateer, it was unarmed.

The Americans could also bring up the old legal question: Is Latvia truly Soviet territory? The United States never recognized Russia's 1940 acquisition of the three tiny Baltic states of Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania.

Stretching it

The Russian protest is being given serious consideration in the State and Defense Departments. But it aroused little excitement and no emergency meetings are planned.

Officials privately say that the Russian protest has not heated up the cold war a bit. Only constant repetition could lead to a shooting war.

No one contests Russia's legal right to shoot or force down a foreign plane over its territory. But to attack an unarmed bomber is certainly stretching legal points pretty far.

All Moscow newspapers published without comment today the Soviet Union's protest to the United States against the flight of an American bomber over Soviet territory.

"Pravda" and "Izvestia" printed the full text of the Russian protest note in the right-hand top corner of the second page, the space usually reserved for the most important Government announcements.

At the same time, all newspapers without exception gave prominence to four brief dispatches from Stockholm, Copenhagen and London reporting the search for a lost American bomber in the Baltic. The word "search" was printed inside inverted commas.

A Tass dispatch from Copenhagen quoted local reports to the effect that the four-engine bomber was lost somewhere between Gotland and the Lithuanian border, and cited the opinion of the newspaper "Expressen" that the plane could have flown on a special assignment towards the Lithuanian coast.

vious warning, ostensibly to look for the lost plane using this as a pretext to occupy Kastrup airport and concentrate enormous air forces in the Baltic Sea.

The despatch added that Danish and Swedish planes are participating in the search and the fact that American bombers had been permitted to fly over Swedish territory, particularly important strategic areas.

The Tass report from Copenhagen said: "Danish public opinion increasingly regards the report of the crash of an American plane as a pretext for American manoeuvres calculated to familiarize American fliers with the airfield at Kastrup and the general area of the Baltic."

Raft sighted

Meanwhile a United States air force scout plane spotted, but later lost sight of, what appeared to be a life raft in the choppy Baltic Sea today in the gigantic search for an American naval Privateer bomber missing since Saturday with 10 men aboard.

Captain Santa York, pilot of an FB-17, who said he had seen a life raft, an exposure suit and several unidentified objects 40 miles North East of the Danish island of Bornholm, radioed later: "I have lost sight of it in spite of buoys dropped from the plane."

A Danish Catalina flying boat circling the area near Bornholm island, where the life raft was reported sighted, radioed in the afternoon that it had been unable to find the raft or any sign of survivors from the missing plane. The Catalina crew circled the area for half an hour without sighting any floating object.

Air force officials refused to say at this stage whether the objects might be from the missing plane.

Danish naval officials cautioned that the life raft might actually

be a buoy planted by Danish vessels to mark the spot where Russian ships dumped gas grenades during World War II.

Wide search

The search was one of the most intensified in the U.S. air force history, and involved planes from as far away as Tripoli and the Azores from which Captain York had flown his scout plane to join the hunt.

The missing Privateer, missing on what Air Force officials said was a routine flight from Copenhagen to Wiesbaden, disappeared at midnight on Saturday. It was the only United States plane in the Baltic area.

Members of the crews involved in the search, which is now centred on the spot marked by Captain York but which earlier had fanned closer and closer to the Soviet Baltic states, are convinced the Privateer and the plane fired on by the Russians are one and the same craft.

U.S. Air Force officials in charge of the operation said the search will go on so long as there is a chance that any of the plane's crew of 10 men might still be alive on life rafts.

Some of the 10 planes taking part in the search today will probably come within sight of the Latvian coast, which is reported to be a waps' nest of radar defences and where the Russians are said to maintain a concentration of air, navy and rocket launching bases. Danish fishing vessels approaching this coast have been picked up by Russian patrol and have not been heard of again.

The search and the Soviet note had a recent yesterday in London where seven persons forced their way into the American Embassy to support the Russian protest. They were ejected by London police.—Reuter, United Press and Associated Press.

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Rioting in Champs Elysees



Police grappled with more than 3,000 Communist rioters in the Champs Elysees, famed Paris avenue. The demonstrators tried to storm the offices of the newspaper "Figaro" in protest against "Figaro's" publications of the memoirs of Otto Skorzeny, former chief of Hitler's bodyguard. Chains, cables, bricks and bottles were thrown. Twenty police, about 60 rioters were hurt, and 120 demonstrators were arrested. Photo shows: A rioter flees the truncheon of a pursuing policeman while another policeman lies injured on the pavement.—(AP photo).

Surprise arrival of Shanghai evacuees

Eighty-eight European evacuees from Shanghai arrived in Hong Kong yesterday on board the Dutch ship Heinrich Jossen from Tientsin. Thirty-four of them were British subjects. The evacuees had travelled by train to Tientsin from Shanghai early this month.

Though they are only a fraction of more than 2,000 foreign nationals who want to leave Shanghai, their successful evacuation is taken as a sign that the Communists are willing to approve large-scale evacuations from Shanghai via Tientsin.

The International Refugee Organisation, also arranged for the evacuation of 75 Jewish people from Harbin.

Early in April all of the passengers left Shanghai in a special train, which was arranged by the Communists, and arrived in Tientsin several days before the Heinrich Jossen left the harbour on April 7.

Some of them, realising that the ship did not have adequate accommodation for so large a group, took camp beds, pillows and mattresses during the trip.

More than 50 passengers, including some British and French nationals, slept in the cargo hatches during the trip. Mr. Hansen master of the Heinrich Jossen said that there were still a number of Shanghai foreign nationals now in Tientsin awaiting passenger space on a blockade-running ship. They are registered at the Savoy Hotel.

The ss. Chry Sang, a Jardine, Matheson ship, is also reported to be bringing a small number of Shanghai evacuees to Hong Kong.

The ship is expected to arrive later this week.

An officer of the Heinrich Jossen said that he had never known

such a good spirited and co-operative group of passengers than the Shanghai evacuees.

He added: "Under admittedly poor accommodation, not one passenger complained, and they all thanked us on arrival in Hong Kong."

Passengers' stories

Seventeen Salesian fathers arrived on the ship.

They did not wish to talk about conditions in Shanghai but one passenger said that Shanghai Communist officials had at one time charged the Order with obtaining money on a "fraudulent basis."

The Order carries on its work primarily from public donations. At another time, Communist officials were reported to have found two old rifles, which did not have triggers, in the Order's premises.

A high official of the Salesian fathers was reported to have been detained for hours on a charge of illegal possession of firearms.

Some of the passengers said that they had to wait for months to obtain special visas to travel to Tientsin, and that when they finally did arrive in Tientsin, they had to obtain another exit visa to leave the city.

The passengers who talked to the "China Mail" agreed that there were about 5,000 Soviet Russians in Shanghai, that they were mainly civilians who were working as technicians, advisors to Government officials or were supervising work in Shanghai industry.

A British businessman said the Russians kept to themselves and that no one was positive of what their responsibilities were.

Second trip

Four American citizens, including one U.S. Consular official, were on board the ship. The Heinrich Jossen is due to leave Hong Kong for Tientsin on April 16.

One officer said that the ship was to bring back more than 150 persons under the supervision of the International Refugee Organisation.

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Starvation menace in Red China

Tokyo, April 12. Fifty million Chinese on the mainland of China are suffering varying degrees of starvation, and Communist control of the country is chiefly responsible for their condition, according to reports reaching General MacArthur's Headquarters.

American officials here have information that floods and drought were responsible for part of the starvation, but that the biggest part of the hunger was due to reduction of production. This fall in production resulted from Chinese resentment of Communist control and determination on the part of many under the Reds to refuse to produce.

The famine, according to information arriving here, is the biggest famine in the history of China.

It is this considered opinion of some Americans here that it would be a good idea for the United States to send food to Red-controlled areas of China but that the distribution of food should be supervised to see that it goes to the hungry masses and not to the Communist armies.

It was definitely known that some food sent to Communist areas in the past under the joint agreement between the Nationalists and Communists ultimately wound up in the hands of the Chinese Communist army.

The Russians are probably taking some food out of Communist China.

Reports reaching here said that the Russians are now getting some Russian and Japanese planes. These were probably captured from Japanese troops who surrendered to the Russians in Manchuria at the end of World War II.

Here is some of the information known to be in the possession of high quarters here: 1. There are numerous Nationalist guerrillas on the mainland of China and in the event that Nationalist forces make a real attempt to return, the people will give them support. The anti-Communist feeling on the mainland is growing day by day.

2. There is more stability and peace in Taiwan than in many places in the world. The Nationalist money is stable and the people happy. Nationalist troops' morale is good. Taiwanese are playing an increasing role in government affairs.

3. Nationalist forces need more equipment and need more outside aid. They are doing very well with what they have but must have more to halt the Communists over a long period of time.—United Press.

Jakarta, April 12.

Celebes Island rebel troops clashed early today with sympathisers of the Federal Government near Macassar at the town of Sungguminasa.—Associated Press.

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SOCCER REFEREEING

Sir.—I was one of the spectators watching the International Cup final between England and Chile on Monday.

With about a minute to go, the teams were on level terms after England had equalised a few moments earlier. Then, in a scrumming round the English goalmouth, the goalkeeper, a child, made a mistake and, instead of saving the ball, he returned it towards the empty goal, where the centre-half, who had rushed across to cover, stopped the ball with his chest cleanly and goal-line. The referee, who was at the side, then pointed to the "and."

The players of both sides as well as the majority of the spectators were dumbfounded at this decision. Under such a storm of protests, why was it the linesmen, were not consulted to verify the decision? In such an important representative game it leaves a bad taste in the mouth to see the game so decided by a disputed penalty. Obviously the standard of refereeing in the Colony has room for much improvement.

Yours etc.,

ONE OF THE 5,000.
 Sir.—At considerable expenditure of time and money, I eventually qualified as a stenographer. Having worked for one year, I have now been assessed for 'income-tax' a paltry sum, but it does place me amongst the 5,000.
 From the social register of 5,000 I have deducted those stenographers in a similar position to myself, and those whose responsibilities, and those Government servants who can be in no position to evade their responsibilities, and I have already arrived at such a figure that I now appeal to Mr. Fallowell to whose list I have contributed, to publish the names of my fellow contributors so that I may at least know the select Company with whom I mix.

OUR LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Sir,—In an article appearing in the local Press on April 11th we are, by innuendo, accused of slandering the Government and Unofficials with neither justification nor even a proper understanding of the causes underlying the local situation, and of indulging in remarks of uncalled-for impudence.

By those readers who are unlike, we imagine, the writer of the article,—a considerable residence in the Colony, the writer arguments for a Commission to study the whole economic set-up will be greeted with a very warm smile.

In the past three years we have seen instituted a Salaries Commission, the recommendations of which were compiled with just as far as they were of benefit to "our obedient servants," but where the medicine beneath the jaw appeared, the Report was quiet.

pigeon-holed and the "dead-wood" recommended for elimination still disgraces the governmental tree. "We have seen," an Official Member of the Legislative Council demand an investigation into the working of the Department of S. T. and I only to have this demand over-ruled by an Official Member who stated that he, a public servant, marks you, was satisfied with the working of the Department. "We have seen," the Report of the Government Auditor in which he stated that there were "unexplained discrepancies" in the books of that same Department; and they remain unexplained. "We have seen" experts, Sir, like Mr. Condon, Mr. Ross, and others brought here at high salaries to make recommendations for the improvement of the Government and of the Colony—and we have seen their recommendations pigeon-holed. "We have seen" then that correspondents' remarks are sometimes bunkum?

The article deals extensively with the causes of the economic chaos in which the Colony now finds itself, and the inflationary spiral in which it is trapped. It points out the one fundamental principle which is the basis of all protests against increased taxation. To most of those who are forced to pay income tax, an increase of 50 per cent will not bring bankruptcy, unemployment or hardship, though the increase may be, and if the taxpayer were assured that such an increase was necessary, there would be no protest; for the people of Hong Kong are no less conscious of their duties than those of other countries. It is objectionable that permanent civil servants and employees of the public whether they like to be so classified or not, are permitted to define the terms upon which their employment shall end, and the right to do so should be the prerogative of the only representatives of the people in this Colony: are allowed in our Legislative body.

Neither the public nor, apparently, the Unofficials are convinced that the sums raised by this additional taxation will be squared off with the same hands in the 1951-52 Budget. Honest budgetting would serve to dispel much of the doubt that lingers in the public mind after each Budget session but while Government continues to employ untrustworthy "masses of unintelligible officialdom" and "superfluous" Budgets for many years additional millions of dollars are railroaded into law every year without doubt and criticism will persist.

The suggestion that a Commission be set up to make an exhaustive study of economic conditions is a good one but it is one of the prerequisites for such a Commission is a Government which will listen to and absorb

all, act whole-heartedly upon the recommendations made there by." Such a Government we are sure will be able to have us all, and shall not have us all, who are able to convince the Home Government—that Hong Kong is peopled by responsible men and women who are capable of deciding for themselves—how they wish to live, and of electing men competent to conduct their affairs for the better, instead of making the Hong Kong a colony which the Commonweal can proud.

Pungent? Yes, our remarks may be so at times but no more than, judging from the remarks of the Hon. Leo. Tam and others of the Unofficials, of the Government's attitude towards the Departments administered by our bureaucratic overlords.

(The complaint was not
pungency but of a complaisance
absence of constructive criticism
on any one of the innumerable
items debated in detail pro
con by the Legislative Council
Ed).

For allowing a private car for hire, Lam Yuen, 518, Nathan Road, was fined \$300 by the magistrate. The defendant, who was alleged to be taking some passengers to New Territories on Tuesday, cautioned on another charge of using the car without the permission of the owner.

Government's partial lifting of the rice import ban has been greeted with general satisfaction by the Colony's rice merchants who believe that it is the surest way of bringing down the price of

Since the announcement of Government's decision, there has been a flood of applications for import permits for importations from Siam, and though a good many of them were turned down because of reported non-compliance with regulations, those that have been granted will permit of a sizeable quantity of rice to be brought into the Colony to fill the gap created by the cutting-off of supplies from China.

The exact quantity, has not been ascertainable in the absence of official figures which are a strictly guarded secret, but from enquiries in the market it is estimated that at least 30,000 tons will be brought into the Colony within a month or so.

Rice merchants are unanimously in the opinion that prices will drop, and already forward sales have been reported at about HK\$75 a picul for best Siang

In the meantime the effect on the market has been immediate. Already the trend has changed from upward to downward, and it is expected that this improvement will continue unless there is any hitch in the flow of rice importations from Siam.

The Shanghai People's Government has taken over the Shanghai Fish Markets on instructions from the East China Military-Political Affairs Committee. This was reported a copy of the Shanghai vernacular "Sin Wan Pao" received here yesterday.

The newspaper said that the reason for the take-over was because the fishing industry affects the livelihood of the people and the policy of the nation.

It added that the new structure controlled fish markets will strive to stabilise fish prices to cope with public demands.

Government assumption of fish markets will also lay foundation for development of the fishing industry, and provide groundwork for China's economic rehabilitation, said the newspaper.

Under Government contract fishermen may appoint their own brokers or agents to dispose of their catch. An agent's commission shall not exceed seven per cent.

A charity ball under patronage of the Governor and Lady Grantham will be given at the Luna Park Skyroom on April 28 by the Women's Auxiliary of the Society for the Protection of Children. The programme included in the program will be a gypsy dance by Hansen, Miss Vera Dessi Rutton will sing "Il Bacio" and be accompanied by Mrs. Be Drown.

Reservations may be made at the Hong Kong Hotel Reception Desk between 11.30 a.m. and

Pleading guilty to two charges of malicious damage and attempted larceny of chocolate from the ss. Radnorshire, C. Kan, before, the court sentenced three months' hard labour on "Alinda at Kowloon" today.

Sub-Inspector C. G. March that defendant was seen to watchmen on Monday break open a case of chocolate in 1 of the ss. Radnorshire, alongside Holly Wharf. He was attempting to steal from case of chocolate, valued at

Contentions by the prosecution at the Tiger Mansions murder trial that the accused was guilty of the fatal stabbing of a gardener by another by virtue of a common intent to commit robbery, was challenged yesterday.

The defence argued that even if the accused had been one of the band of five men in question, he had departed from the scene by the time the stabbing occurred.

Mr. John McNell, defence counsel, told the jury in his closing address that there was however no evidence of the presence of the accused on the mansion grounds that particular morning.

It was most likely from the balanced evidence that the accused if he was present was the fifth man of the gang who, according to the evidence, was not to be seen right after the crime.

Mr. MacNeill also pointed out that nobody was able to identify a man as being present. He pointed to another aspect of the case, he submitted that stabling was done in a room when 'all' concerned had thought of escape in mind, were doing so.

Mr. Williams then adjourned case until 10 am. today, when will sum up the case to the jury.

Eight is

He is accused of having taken part in a robbery of the Chinese bank at the Balm Main, Kowloon, on October 20, last, in the course of which the woman's husband, a gardener named Law Shu-fan, came upon

the scene and was stabbed by one of the intruders. He died two days later in hospital.

—Mr. MacNeill for the defence is called by Mr. I. W. Gunter:

The prosecution is conducted by Mr. A. Hooton, assisted by Detective Sub-Inspector C. A. A. Nicol.

After police evidence in chief, the prosecution is called. The accused elected to say nothing in his own defence.

day.

Detective Inspector A. Cochran for the prosecution called that young man, the complainant and defendant, who both prisoners serving term in Stanley Prison.

Both were in the same work party, he claimed.

On April 6, as it raining, the party were kept indoors and they spent their

Crown Counsel, in the course of his closing address to the jury, acquainted them with the proposition that, whether a man is killed during the commission of a crime involving violence—such as robbery—all the persons taking part in the offence are guilty of the murder by virtue of common intent.

It was therefore not necessary for the accused in this case to have actually struck the fatal blow, to be guilty. They have had to contend with the others before the robbery or the subject of killing somebody.

GOLD CASE ADJOURNED

Seven bars of gold weighing 35 1/2 tael were found on Ho-shing when the police conducted a routine search on the boat on Tuesday. Chao was subsequently charged before Hsin-shang Lo at Central court, with possession of gold without a valid permit.

"Mr. MacNeill in his speech told the jury that throughout the hearing, Crown Counsel had suggested repeatedly that it was one of the four men who were inside the woman's hut at the time of the robbery, but the fifth stood outside."

Submitting that there was no evidence to support this, counsel pointed out there was no evidence on the other hand to show that the fifth man was ever seen after the robbery."

The defendant pleaded through his counsel, Mr. Kwan, who submitted that offence was only a technicality. The gold, Mr. Kwan said, belonged to Chau's master who had been instructed by 10 women to buy the gold for him. Chau was returning after having purchased the gold for his master on behalf of the women when the police boarded the boat in which he was travelling. The case was adjourned for one week pending the return of the gold.

his wife while the four men were present with his wife inside without the deceased's knowledge, and had called for his wife to come in. It is no evidence that the deceased saw anybody standing outside the hut.

"In my submission all the evidence available indicates that it is possible the accused might well have been the first man, who had taken the first step out of the pithi before the arrival of the deceased," counsel declared.

Charged with operating a massage establishment without a license on the second floor of Nathanael's Hong Kong Hotel, he was fined \$400 by Mr. d'Almeida at Kowloon yesterday.

Tang Yung, 30-year-old woman, of 38 Temple Street, second floor, was fined \$200 for similar charges.

Both places were raided Tuesday evening and early yesterday morning under the direction of Sub-Inspector G.

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday included: Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blaker, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. M. Beattie, Mrs. Dave Kin Kin-ey, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. K. Gordon Jones, Messrs. J. Blaker, L. P. Kolamaya, D. R. E. Hollows, E. J. Wallis, E. Moller, B. Nana, M. S. Huberman and Mr. Colthard.

Among the new arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. G. de Mosa, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McBirney, Mr. and Mrs. S. Swanfield, Mrs. S. S. Pope, Mrs. N. R. Applegate, Mrs. E. D. Nash, Mrs. C. Hutto, Messrs. V. N. Williams, S. Baldwin, S. W. G. Lehman and P. Potok.

Those who left Hong Kong for Sydney yesterday by the S. S. Tropic included Mr. and Mrs. S. Redapple; the Reverend Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Macnab; Mr. and Mrs. B. Witte; Mrs. C. T. Hall; Mrs. H. S. Fookes; Miss A. E. Yung; Miss M. J. Yung; Messrs. H. R. Simpson and N. M. Elliott.

Messrs. M. Richard, M. Valon and Lin Sze-ku left Hong Kong for Haiphong yesterday by Al-

Mr. and Mrs. J. Veillard
Messrs. R. Massolin and M. Rivolin
left for Saigon yesterday by Air
France.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. J. Woodward, of Buttersfield, and Switzerland, arrived in Hong Kong from Tientsin yesterday, by the steamer Hupeh.

Mr. A. Rothschindl, the Rev. Frs. P. Gordon, A. Dellbur and P. Klok, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bedos, Mrs. T. Paduyani, Mr. J. K. Cooper, Mrs. A. M. Morosoff and Mr. F. C. Gitzay were among the other passengers who arrived here yesterday by the ss. Hupe from Tientsin.

Mr. Arthur L. Stewart, Vice President of Trans-World Air Lines, arrived by Philippine Air Lines from Manila yesterday on a week's visit.

The Far Eastern Director of Philippine Air Lines, Mr. Francis Kendall, arrived from Manila by PAL yesterday.

Mr. Ray Elsmore, Executive Vice-President of Tansocean Airlines, arrived from Manila by PAL yesterday.

On a business tour of the Far East, two business executives representing Parker fountain pen factories in America and Canada arrived from Tokyo by Canadian Pacific Air Lines yesterday.

They are Messrs. Edward Boggs, Assistant Export Manager of the fountain pen factory of the U.S., and Tom Gavin, Export Manager of the factory in Canada.

They were met by Mr. Feldman, Manager of Shri (China) Limited.

Among arrivals from Tokyo Canadian Pacific Air Lines yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. P. Strickland.

Mr. James P. Farrell, visiting Orient Sales Manager for Northwest Airlines, left for Tokyo, Manila by PAL yesterday. Mr. Farrell is returning here in two weeks.

Mr. Justice Scholes, Acting
Pulse Judge, sentenced
Tuan at the Criminal Session
to nine years' hard labour
10 strokes when the latter was
found unanimously guilty
robbery with aggravation; by
jury of five men and two women.
Three years was imposed
Cheung Kau-lin, who had pleaded
to misprision of felony.
According to Mr. M. Heen

The allegations were denied by the accused, who was not legally represented.

On a charge of burglary, larceny, ... a 17-year-old employed, Chan Lai, was sentenced to 18 months' hard by Mr. James Wick of Kowloon yesterday.

Defendant, who had a previous conviction for larceny, was lodged to have broken into a house of Hui Wan, 208, E. Edward Road, on February 10, to have stolen a quantity of clothing and a watch. When Chan was arrested on the day, a number of pairs of shoes for the stolen clothing was found on his person.

Sub-inspector Chan was prosecuted.

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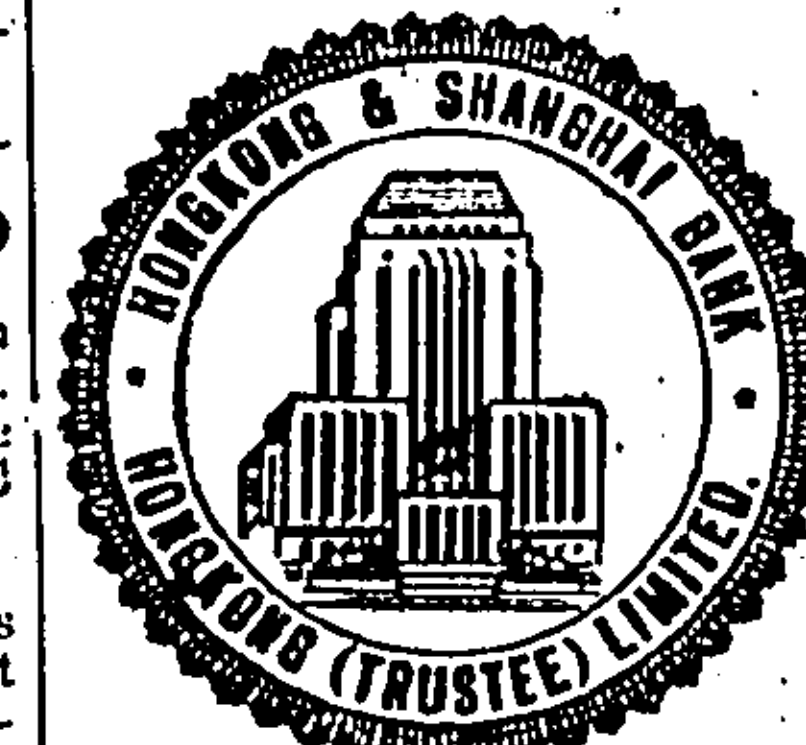
NOTICE

Tenders are invited for the
cleaning of windows at various
military establishments in Hong
Kong and Kowloon.

Forms of tender are obtain-
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Headquarters on Monday, the
17th day of April, 1950 at 3
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8,000 square feet is situated at
To Kwa Wan Road and is suit-
able for industrial purposes.

Further particulars are avail-
able from the Government
Gazette of April 6, 1950 or
from the Crown Lands & Sur-
vey Office.

E. A. BOYCE,
Director of Public
Works

Hongkong, March 28, 1950.

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MEMBERS REMINDER

ANNUAL GENERAL MEET-
ING Friday next 14th April
5.30 p.m.

J.C.M. GRENHAM
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CNAC PLANES:
A NEW ANGLE

Taipei, April 12.
An official source said today
that the Chinese Nationalists
rejected overtures by agents of
the Communists in control
of the 71 planes in Hong Kong
to deliver them into the hands
of the Nationalists for
U.S.\$50,000 each.

The source said the offer was
made twice through agents sent
to Taipei.

The informant said that the
scheme, as laid down by the
agents, called for the planes to be
diverted to Taiwan instead of
Red-held China when they took
off from Hong Kong.

Government officials turned
down the offer because:
1. They could not see how more
than one plane could so be deliv-
ered as the Reds would alter
their initial double-cross—unless
all the 71 planes took off at the
same time, which is hardly possi-
ble.

2. The Nationalists' official po-
sition is they no longer have any
interest in the planes as they had
been sold to Major-General Claire
Chennault and Mr. Willauer—
United Press.

NAVY WINS
BOXING TOURNEY

Royal Navy with a total of 45
points won the Hong Kong Inter-
Service Boxing Championships at
the China Fleet Club last
night closely followed by the
Army with 44 points and the
Royal Air Force with 10 points.
With one event left for the
evening Army and Navy each
had 44 points. It was left to
Sgt. Charlton of the Army and
L. N. A. Gore of the Royal Navy
to fight it out in the Welter
weight. Gore won a very close
decision.

Prizes were presented to the
winners and runners-up by
Lieutenant-General Sir Robert
Mansergh.

Semi-final Lightweight—Sgt. Crawford
(Navy) beat A.C. Canton (Army); A.B.
Moore (Navy) beat L.A.C. Mitchell (Air
Force).

Semi-final Middleweight—2/Lt. Wil-
liams (Army) beat Mno. Edeson (Navy);
Pte. Galland (Army) beat N.A. Lohauy
(Navy).

Semi-final Welterweight—L.N.A. Gore
(Navy) beat A.C. Workman (Air Force);
Sgt. Charlton (Army) beat Cpl. Wadsway
(Air Force).

FINAL
Flyweight—L/Cpl. Mourant (Army)
beat Roy Neilson (Navy);
Banmanweight—L/Cpl. Marwick (Army)
beat A.C. Canton (Air Force);
Featherweight—A.B. Stewart (Navy)
beat Mno. Dunkley (Navy);
Light Heavyweight—Mno. Cronk (Navy)
beat L/Cpl. Brinkhurst (Army);
Heavyweight—Capt. Mitchell (Army)
beat Pte. Jolly (Army);
Lightweight—A.B. Moore (Navy) beat
Sgt. Crawford (Navy);
Middleweight—Pte. Galland (Army)
beat Mno. Williams (Army);
Welterweight—L.N.A. Gore (Navy)
beat Sgt. Charlton (Army).

Victoria
Club Callover

London, April 11.
There was no change in the
prices of the three leading Two
Thousand Guineas candidates
when the card on the race was
called over at the Victoria
Club tonight.

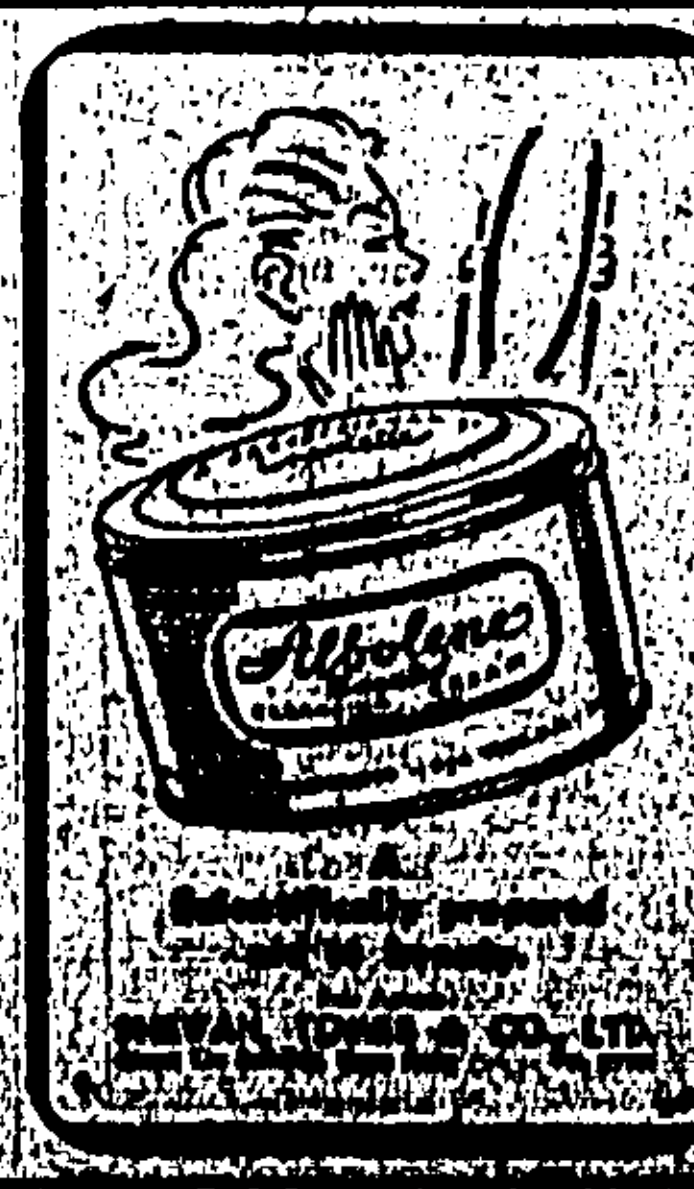
Masked Light and Palestine
remain 3 to 1 joint favourites
with Gordon Richards' mount,
The Golden Road, at 6 to 1.
Three others received quotations.
M. Marcel Bousac's Cardanal,
a winner over a mile
long ago yesterday, and
Hedgerow, the smart Salisbury
winner last week, were both
introduced at 100 to 8.

Prince Simon, an American-
bred colt who has never raced,
was introduced into the Two
Thousand Guineas and the
Epsom Derby betting at 100 to
7. He is owned by Mr. William
Woodward, former Chairman
of the New York Jockey Club.
Masked Light and The Golden
Road still head the Derby
market, their quotation of 10 to
1 being a reduction of two points
from the first callover.

Of the 11 colts quoted for the
Epsom Classic five of them,
Hedgerow, Rainfall, Fastnet
Rock, Forest Row and Khoras-
san, were on offer for the first
time.

Full quotations
The full quotations were:
Two Thousand Guineas: 3 to 1
Masked Light and Palestine, 6 to 1
The Golden Road, 100 to 8
Cardanal and Hedgerow, 100 to
7 Prince Simon, 20 to 1 any
others.

The Derby: 10 to 1. Masked
Light and The Golden Road, 100
to 7 Prince Simon, 100 to 6 Car-
dal, Rock, Genibar and L.Ami-
ral, 20 to 1 Hedgerow, 25 to 1
Rainfall and Fastnet Rock, 33 to
1 Forest Row and Khoras-
san. Reuter.



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BARCLAY ON BRIDGE
By Shepard Barclay
"The Authority on Authority"

DON'T GET ALL EXCITED
YOUR PARTNER'S play was
not necessarily a mistake. There's
no use getting all excited because
the declarer made his contract,
and blaming that fact on what
your own associate did. Perhaps
he was in a difficult spot and
between alternatives made the
same choice you would have if
you had been obliged to view the
scene from the same standpoint
as he. Anyway, maybe the de-
clarer would have made his con-
tract if your partner had played
differently. It might, merely
have obliged the declarer to adopt
a somewhat different course,
which would bring him to the
same destination.

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(Dealer: West. Both sides vul-
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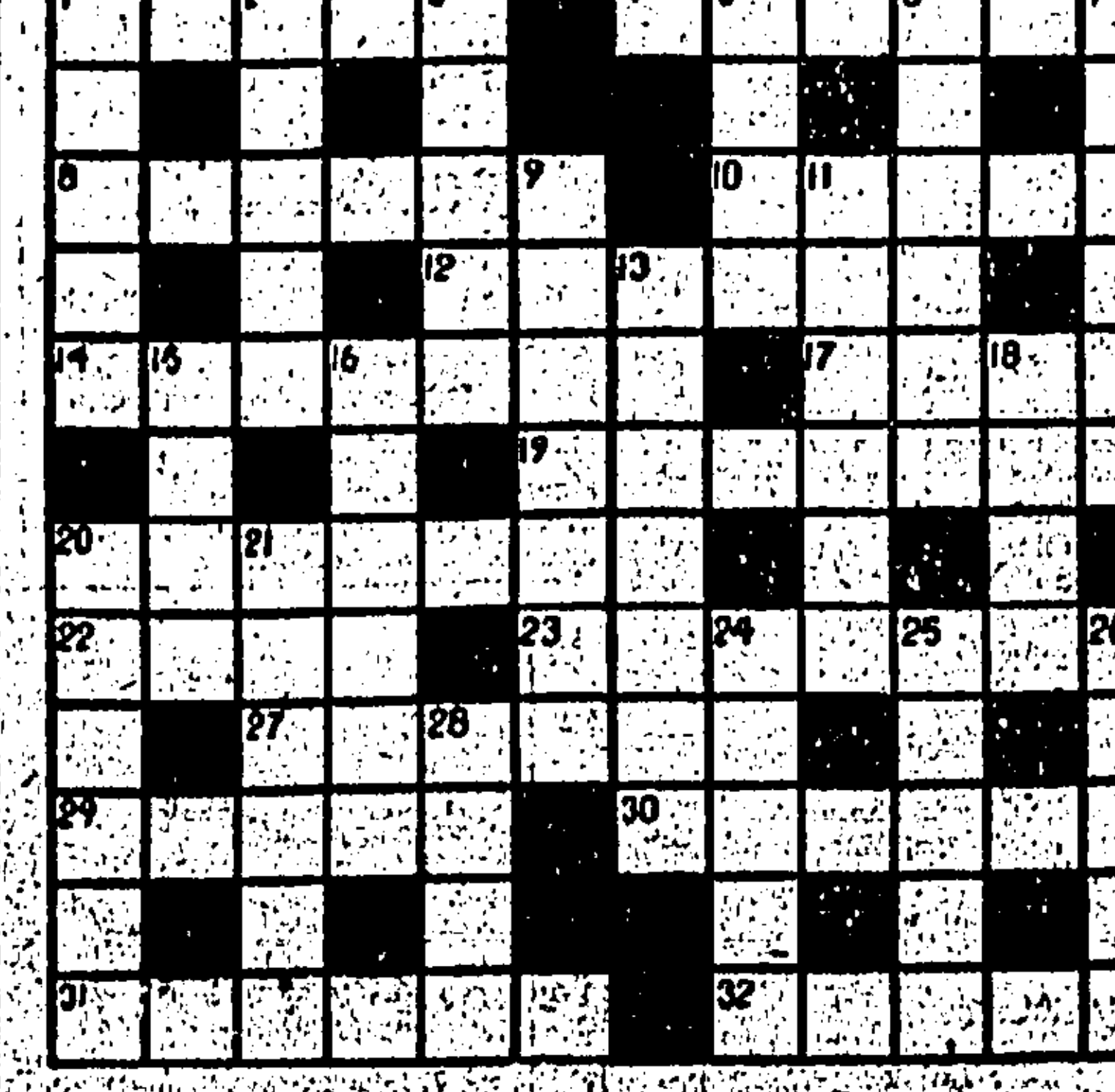
West North East South
Pass 1 D Pass 1 H
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Pass 4 H

North's funny-sounding 1-Spade
was to ascertain if the suit was
stopped, through South perhaps
raising it, whereupon he would
seek a No Trump game. South
was a bit befuddled by that No
Trump call. So, knowing his
partner's odd ways, decided to
temporize with the 4-Heart.
When North took to the air in
hearts, he decided he had better
pass than try either No Trumps
or spades.

(Dealer: West. Neither side vul-
nerable).

After normal bidding, South 15
3-No Trumps takes the third club
trick and leads the spade Q. How
can West know what he should
do?

A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across
1 Poem.
4 Kind of
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8 Feast.
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17 Brief note.
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RUSSIA STILL BIG THREAT TO TURKEY

Ankara, April 11.

Turkey has only one fundamental problem in foreign affairs and that is proximity to dynamic Russia. Czar and commissar have been edging down this way for generations. Napoleon wrote: "Russia asked for Constantinople; I could not give it to her. That is too valuable a key. He who controls it can rule the world."

CHURCHES BACK MALAN

Bloemfontein, April 11.

The Congress of Federal Dutch Reformed Churches of Southern Africa has endorsed the Government's policy of total racial segregation on the dark continent.

The Congress, attended by 500 delegates, ended a three-day parley with the recommendation that Africans be kept out of European industry and made to attend separate churches and schools. No Negro church members were present at the meeting. The Congress said it felt a clear-cut policy should be drawn before mutual talks could be held.

The South African Government of the Prime Minister, Daniel Malan, advocated segregation of white and coloured races on the continent.

The congress drew up a resolution urging that a separate industrial system be set up for the Africans, based on scientific farming and selective industry.

African reserves, the resolution said, should be converted into real homelands with churches, schools, medical care and recreational facilities.

In this manner, the resolution asserted, a healthy family and social life could be developed for the Africans and they could take their place in society as normal beings.

The congress called on both Africans and Europeans to exercise patience, tolerance and mutual trust while the problem is being worked out.

It appealed to both groups to shun Communism, and follow the teachings of God. Neither race, the resolution said, should seek outside support for its individual cause. — Associated Press.

REWARD FOR SMUGGLERS

London, April 11.

International diamond manufacturers today offered a £10,000 reward for information about three highly organised smuggling gangs flooding America with illicit diamonds from London's diamond centre. Merchants reading the reward notice, pasted up in their clubs, said that the smuggling traffic is doing great harm to Britain's diamond exports.

Mr. R. Fink, solicitor and secretary of the International Diamond Manufacturers' Association, who are offering the reward, said: "The British diamond industry is one of our biggest dollar earners and our efforts are being very largely hampered by this illegitimate trade. So far as we know, there is not a great deal of diamond smuggling into Britain. The main trend is from Belgium and Holland to Italy and from there to America." — Reuter.

Berne, April 11. A Swiss Government spokesman today categorically denied London reports that the Swiss Government had asked provisionally exiled King Leopold of the Belgians to leave Swiss territory. — Reuter.

This aspiration of what the Turk refers to as traditionally unpopular "Moskov" has been as much a worry of the Ankara republic as it was of the Ottoman sultan who gradually lost huge territories in the Balkans, the Caucasus and the Black Sea coast to the Czar.

At the end of World War II, Moscow began a propaganda campaign asserting claims to easterly regions of Kars and Ardahan and seeking to terminate the Montreux Convention governing the straits and to replace it after bilateral talks with Turkey by a regime actually backed by the Soviet Union. Ankara refused. Its only desired amendment to that international agreement would be to see the United States become a signatory instead of Japan.

When the Soviet campaign was at its height the Turks, determined to fight if necessary, pulled back their Eastern armies to the Pasinler line near Erzurum. The Soviet Union managed to infiltrate many agents into the evacuated area—mainly Azerbaijanis.

Atom bomb

Turkey has re-established her strength in that region and cleaned up the suspects. The Russians are now limiting their propaganda attacks to assertions that this country has become a colony and a base for the United States. But the implied threats remain. Any analysis shows the words "atom bomb" used more often in Soviet broadcasts in Turkish than in any other language.

The Communist party is illegal. Its former leader, Sefik Husnu, is in jail. Its strength is small, centered in Istanbul and Smyrna. It is unlikely it has more than 5,000 secret members. The membership essentially is made up of Istanbul university students and disgruntled intellectuals.

The party apparently is used by the Soviet Union primarily to provide agents. The Soviet Embassy maintains contacts with it through satellite missions—above all Czechoslovakia—and a few individuals including a Hungarian named Balogh and a former Czarist officer who presumably is spotted by the efficient Turkish police.

While the Government bars Communism it also seeks to avoid undue provocation of Moscow and has tried to check activities of a right-wing Panturanian movement headed by Nihal Atsiz with strongholds in Konya, Sivas and Erzurum.

Furthermore, a new and kinder policy toward minorities now is being applied to avoid the danger of disgruntled groups during times of crisis. It is, of course, difficult to erase the memory of former mistakes in this connection.

Armenians remembering old bloodshed still are uneasy. Kurds have revolted 108 times against the Turks in past years. Non-Moslem minorities have not yet forgotten the war-time effort to wipe them out economically with a capital levy called "Varlik Vergisi."

Nevertheless the status of minorities is better than ever before. Excellent relationships prevail between the Government and the Phanar, seat of the Greek Patriarchate. The minorities are learning to speak more and better Turkish. Almost half of the previous Jewish population of 80,000 has emigrated to Israel—permitted to take along only tourist small possessions. The Government has resolved to consider Moslem minorities, such as

Kurds and Lazes, as assimilable "Turks." Their languages are now stated to be variants of the Turkish tongue, although, in yesterday's handbook on the National Assembly Kurdish still is listed as foreign.

Kurds a problem

Of the nation's almost 19,000,000 about 1,500,000 are Kurds. Nomadic by instinct, modified Sikh devotionist Moslems rather than Sunni like the Turks, resentful of the fact that their language is banned and can neither be taught nor printed, they will be difficult to absorb.

Great attention is naturally focused by the Government on strengthening the armed forces to forestall any hostile Soviet ambitions. The Army now is far better trained and equipped as a result of Truman doctrine aid. A Ministry of National Defence has been established and old-style generals weeded out. As a result there is greater efficiency and the total force probably has been reduced from about 550,000 under arms to fewer than 400,000, thus releasing men to vital economy.

Number of tanks, planes and some few thousand vehicles have been improved in equipment standards. American experts have succeeded in stressing the value of maintenance and communications. Morale generally is first class.

Nevertheless, both Turks and Americans now realize that a gradual modernisation programme will take far longer than originally anticipated. However, the nation, which is determined to fight aggressive threats, is getting a better chance to do so.

British statement on Seretse

Johannesburg, April 11. The British Information Office here said today that Seretse Khama must furnish precise information on his intended movements before he is allowed to visit the Bamangwato tribal area of Bechuanaland and join his London-born wife Ruth, who expects a baby in July.

At her home in Serowe in the Bamangwato territory, Ruth yesterday accused the authorities of another double-cross in delaying their approval for the visit which was specially authorised by the British Government after they had banned Seretse from the territory for five years while they withheld recognition of him as chief.

He is now at Lobatse, 300 miles from Serowe. Today's statement said, "As soon as a detailed statement of his intentions and his itinerary have been received and approved there should be no undue delay in granting permission for his visit. A further factor which must be taken into account is that final approval for the visit must come from London." — Reuter.

Peking Radio attack on Saigon

San Francisco, April 11.

Peking Radio alleged to-night that the French have collected 10,000 Chinese Nationalist troops and are using them in marauding actions in South Vietnam, particularly in Saigon and Cholon.

Quoting the Vietnam news agency, the Radio said that these troops had recently been brought in from the China-Vietnam border. — Reuter.

Griffin mission in Thailand

Bangkok, April 11.

The United States economic mission has made many recommendations for assistance to Thailand and the recommendations were cabled to Washington today, R. Allen Griffin told the Press.

The mission, headed by Mr. Griffin, is to fly to Ankara on Wednesday morning for a 10-day visit to Indonesia before returning to the United States.

Mr. Griffin said a vanguard of American technicians is expected to be in Thailand within the next four months. Thailand is better off in many ways than the other countries of the same area in this world rice bowl which includes Indo-China, Malaya and Burma the mission had previously visited.

Speaking on the stability of the Thai currency, Mr. Griffin said, "I believe that Hong Kong and Thailand are the only places in Asia where the Governments permit free exchange and you can sell and buy money normally just as we do in the United States." — United Press.

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AMERICAN PLANE ACCUSED OF FIRING ON FIGHTERS

STIFF NOTE TO WASHINGTON

London, April 11. Russia has protested to the United States alleging that an American aircraft flew over Soviet territory, according to a Tass Soviet news agency message picked up in London. The report said that Soviet fighters took off and demanded that the American plane land. It did not comply and opened fire on the Soviet machines. A Russian fighter was forced to open fire in return, the Tass message added, after which the American aircraft turned to the sea and disappeared.

The incident occurred near Libava, Latvia, on the Baltic on April 8.

The Tass message said that the American plane, a four-engined military machine of the B-29 (Flying Fortress) type, penetrated Soviet territory to a distance of over 12 miles.

The Foreign Minister, M. Andrei Vyshinsky, today received the United States Ambassador in Moscow and presented a note of protest, the message added.

The note condemned "this gross violation of the Soviet frontier by an American military plane, which at the same time constituted an unheard of violation of elementary rules of international law."

The text of the Soviet note to the United States, according to the Moscow broadcast, reads as follows:

"The Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics deems it necessary to state to the Government of the United States of America the following:

"According to verified data, on April 8, at 17 hours and 35 minutes, near the town of Libava, a four-engined military plane of the B-29 type (Flying Fortress) bearing American identification marks, was sighted. The plane penetrated the territory of the Soviet Union to a distance of 21 kilometers. Owing to the fact that the American plane continued to penetrate into Soviet territory, a flight of Soviet fighters took off from a nearby aerodrome, and demanded that the American plane follow it and land at the aerodrome. The American plane not only failed to comply with this demand, but opened fire on the Soviet planes. Owing to this, an advance Soviet fighter was forced to open fire in reply, after which the American plane turned toward the sea and disappeared."

"Unheard of"

"The Soviet Government announces its resolute protest to the Government of the United States against this gross violation of the Soviet frontier by an American military plane, which, at the same time, constitutes an unheard of violation of the elementary rules of international law."

United States Air Force planes, supported by Danish and Swedish aircraft, have been combing the Baltic for the last three days in search of a United States Navy aircraft missing with 10 men on board.

The search, in which 25 aircraft operating from Kastrup, near Copenhagen, have already covered more than 50,000 square miles of sea, has given rise to rumors in Copenhagen that a fictional Navy bomber had been shot down by Soviet fighters for two purposes:

(1) To watch Russian naval manoeuvres.

(2) To test problems in occupying a country—in this case Denmark—for ostensibly peaceful reasons.

U.S. announcement

In Washington the State Department announced today that Russia had protested to the United States that an American military aircraft had violated Russian territory last Saturday night, and that the plane had been shot down by Soviet fighters.

The State Department said that Russia's protest was headed to the United States Ambassador, Mr. Allan Kirk, in Moscow this morning.

The text was received in Washington at 5 p.m. GMT. It was first made public immediately. A State Department spokesman said that news agency reports quoting the Soviet agency Tass from London gave the first news of the alleged incident.

Until then it was not known that a protest had been made. The United States Navy "Privateer" plane which has been missing over the Baltic since Saturday night, was reported to be a B-29 Superfortress, referred to in the Russian protest.

"Like the B-29, the Privateer has four engines."

American officials began an immediate effort to determine the facts.

Latvia's status

The first question which arises in the American view, however, is the status of Latvia.

Russia said that the plane incident occurred over Soviet territory, and incorporated into the Soviet Union. But Latvia has never been recognised by the United States or British govern-

The United States Air Force said that pending an official inquiry they have no official knowledge of the incident referred to in the Soviet protest.

Asked by reporters whether the United States recognises Latvia as Soviet territory, Mr. Michael McDermott, State Department spokesman, said, "No comment."

Other officials recalled, however, that the United States still formally accepts the presence of a Latvian Minister in Washington.

There was no immediate White House comment on the incident.

The Presidential Press Secretary, Mr. Charles G. Ross, said that presumably President Truman had been informed of the Soviet protest by the State Department.

One theory

A Naval spokesman said that Navy patrol planes had strict instructions to stay at least 18 miles from Russian territorial boundaries and to operate without arms when flying near Soviet areas.

These instructions were issued some time ago by Admiral Richard Conolly, Commander of Naval Forces in the Eastern Atlantic and the Mediterranean, he added.

General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, the United States Air Force Chief of Staff, said that no American aircraft was involved in any exchange of machine-gun fire with any Russian fighter on April 8, as alleged in a Russian note today.

His assertion followed several hours after the State Department announcement of receipt of the Russian protest.

Following another statement, this time from Admiral Forrest W. Sherman, Chief of Naval Operations, that the Navy plane missing over the Baltic was not armed, observers here read into the two statements the possibility that the American military chiefs think the missing naval plane was the craft the Russians recalled that the Navy plane had been missing since April 8, the date of the alleged violation of Russian territory.

The Admiral's statement cited the evidence of a member of the crew of the missing plane, who had been left behind in Wiesbaden, that the craft was not armed.

"The patrol plane, therefore, could not have fired on any other aircraft or returned the fire of any aircraft," the Admiral said.

The Defence Secretary, Louis Johnson, and the Deputy Secretary, Stephen Early, talked with President Truman today but said they did not discuss the plane incident.

Mr. Johnson added, "I can't say anything about it until we have more information on it."

Mr. Early said: "All we know about it is what we have seen on the news ticker."

Wiesbaden views

U.S. Air Force headquarters in Wiesbaden conceded tonight that the plane alleged to be involved in the incident with Russian fighters may be a missing U.S. Navy aircraft sought since Saturday in the Northern Baltic.

Air Force officials said that the Navy plane was not armed.

Air Force officials said they could not state immediately whether the missing Navy Privateer was the plane that the Russians claimed had penetrated Soviet territory.

Air Force officials quoted a member of the crew of the missing Navy plane who did not make the flight as saying that it was not armed.

The flyer told them that the Navy plane did not even have any weapons or ammunition on board. But he believed that one officer carried a .45 calibre service pistol.

No B-29s are stationed in Germany, although there is a group stationed in Britain.

U.S. Air Force officers suggested in Wiesbaden that if the Russian report is accurate, the missing Navy Privateer may have been damaged by Soviet fighter fire and unable to reach safety.

Closely guarded area

Stephen Zaklan, a Navy electronics technician from La Grande, Oregon, and a regular member of the plane's crew, was on the field when it left Wiesbaden. He said it was positively not armed.

The area where the shooting was said to have occurred is one of the most closely guarded spots in Russian-held territory. Soviet patrol boats intercept even fishing vessels which venture into the Baltic. There have been reports that the Russians have naval and submarine bases near there.

Two Copenhagen newspapers suggested yesterday that the United States was taking advantage of the sea search to reconnoitre Russian territory.

Lieutenant-General John K. Cannon, Commander of U.S. Air Forces in Europe, called this fantastic.

"The reason for the search," he said, "is to find that missing plane."

The Russian note described the incident as a gross violation of the Soviet frontier by an American military plane and an unheard of violation of the elementary rules of international law.

The note said the plane was sighted over Latvia at 5.30 P.M. (local time) on Saturday. (This was about two hours after the plane radiated Wiesbaden that it was leaving the German coast en route to Copenhagen.)

Meanwhile time is running out as an armada of American planes criss-crossed the Baltic Sea area where the U.S. Naval Privateer patrol bomber has been missing since Saturday midnight.

Naval units of Sweden and Denmark, C-54 Skymasters from the Western air lift fleet, and B-17 Flying Fortresses from the far-off Azores and Tripoli joined in the gigantic hunt, but hope was dimming.

The plane had only enough fuel to last until midday on Sunday. Heavy weather kept search planes grounded on Monday night and until noon today. Reuter, Associated Press.

Peking bureau has British advisers

San Francisco, April 11. Four British advisers to the China Information Bureau of the Chinese Communist Press administration were welcomed by the Administration's director, Mr. Hu Chiao-mu, at a dinner party last evening, the Peking radio announced.

The four advisers are: Mr. and Mrs. Springhall, Alan Winnington and Michael Shapiro. Also welcomed to Peking was the correspondent of the Czech news agency. The dinner was attended by the Tass correspondent as well as members of the Chinese Communist Government and representatives of the Peking Press, the broadcast said.—United Press.

TEACHERS' SALARY CLAIMS

London, April 11. British school teachers joined more than 5,000,000 other British workers today in demanding increased salaries to meet higher living costs.

The National Union of Teachers with a 400,000 membership unanimously passed a resolution declaring their salaries are so low now that many women teachers are working as night waitresses to eke out a living.

Teachers—whose average annual salary is less than £400—"are disillusioned, incensed and angry and with very just cause," said the resolution.

The teachers are the latest group of Union workers to ask a wage increase.

The widespread labour unrest is already causing the Cabinet to consider any widespread wage increase means increased costs for British exports, which are already meeting increasing competition throughout the world.

Tomorrow the powerful Confederation of Shipbuilding and Engineering Unions will send out bulletins to members of all its 37 affiliated Unions asking whether the Unions should strike or arbitrate demands for a £1 weekly wage increase.—Associated Press.

CLIQUE RUNNING SOVIET RUSSIA

Patna, April 11. The Indian Socialist leader, Mr. Jayaprakash Narain, today described Stalinist Communism as a dictatorship of a ruling clique.

Mr. Narain told a public meeting here: "It is a misnomer to call it socialism as it has repudiated all that Marx stood for."

Stalinist Communism has transformed the dictatorship of the proletariat—which was to be maintained for the transition only—into a dictatorship "clique," Mr. Narain said, when appealing to the peoples of the world to choose between democratic socialism and totalitarian Communism.

"A privileged class has firmly established itself in Russia today," he said. "Everything done in Russia is a direct contravention of the teachings of Marx and Lenin, both of whom stood for democratic socialism."—Reuter.

MOST SERIOUS INCIDENT SINCE THE WAR

London, April 11. The alleged shooting incident between American and Soviet planes over Russian territory has created the most serious international incident since the war.

Not since Yugoslav planes shot down two American planes in 1946—an incident that ended with an American ultimatum to Marshal Tito—has an incident with such potentially dangerous possibilities occurred.

The publication of the Soviet note accusing the United States of gross violation of Soviet territory and of international law electrified Western Europe into sudden realisation of the daily dangers in which it lives while the cold war goes on.

A generation ago an incident of much lesser gravity would have been a signal for mobilisation and war. But there is no thought of that this time although it was admitted that many harsh words and threats will probably be exchanged before the incident is settled.

Opinion and judgment were reserved on the Soviet allegations until the American version of the meeting of American and Soviet planes is heard. But there is no question in any veteran diplomat's mind that the incident is a grave one and one that the Russians will take full advantage of in furtherance of their propaganda campaign that Americans are warmongers and instigators of a new war against Russia.

Sooner or later, something of this sort was bound to happen. Despite the greatest caution it was almost inevitable that sometime the cold war would have its hot shooting incident.

Dangerous world

"We are living in a dangerous world," one diplomat said, "and must be prepared for dangerous incidents like this. But that doesn't mean that nations involved or the rest of the world have to think in terms of war. Fortunately, there is plenty of machinery for any aggrieved nation to get full satisfaction without resort to war."

Throughout the long months of the Soviet blockade of Berlin, the Western Powers lived in great fear that a clash between Western and Soviet planes would occur. Then tempers were so short and tension so high that it would have been difficult to have contained public opinion.

But the blockade ended without shooting incidents despite the almost continuous airfight which was surrounded by Soviet planes on manoeuvre.

The Yugoslav incident in 1946 occurred during the Paris peace conference and all but interrupted the conference. The incident occurred along the border in Northern Yugoslavia when two American planes flying a regular run from Vienna to Ljubljana were forced out of the official corridor.

U.S. ultimatum

One plane was forced down with seven U.S. airmen, two Hungarian civilians and a Turkish officer aboard. The other was shot down by Yugoslav fighter planes and all the crew of five were killed.



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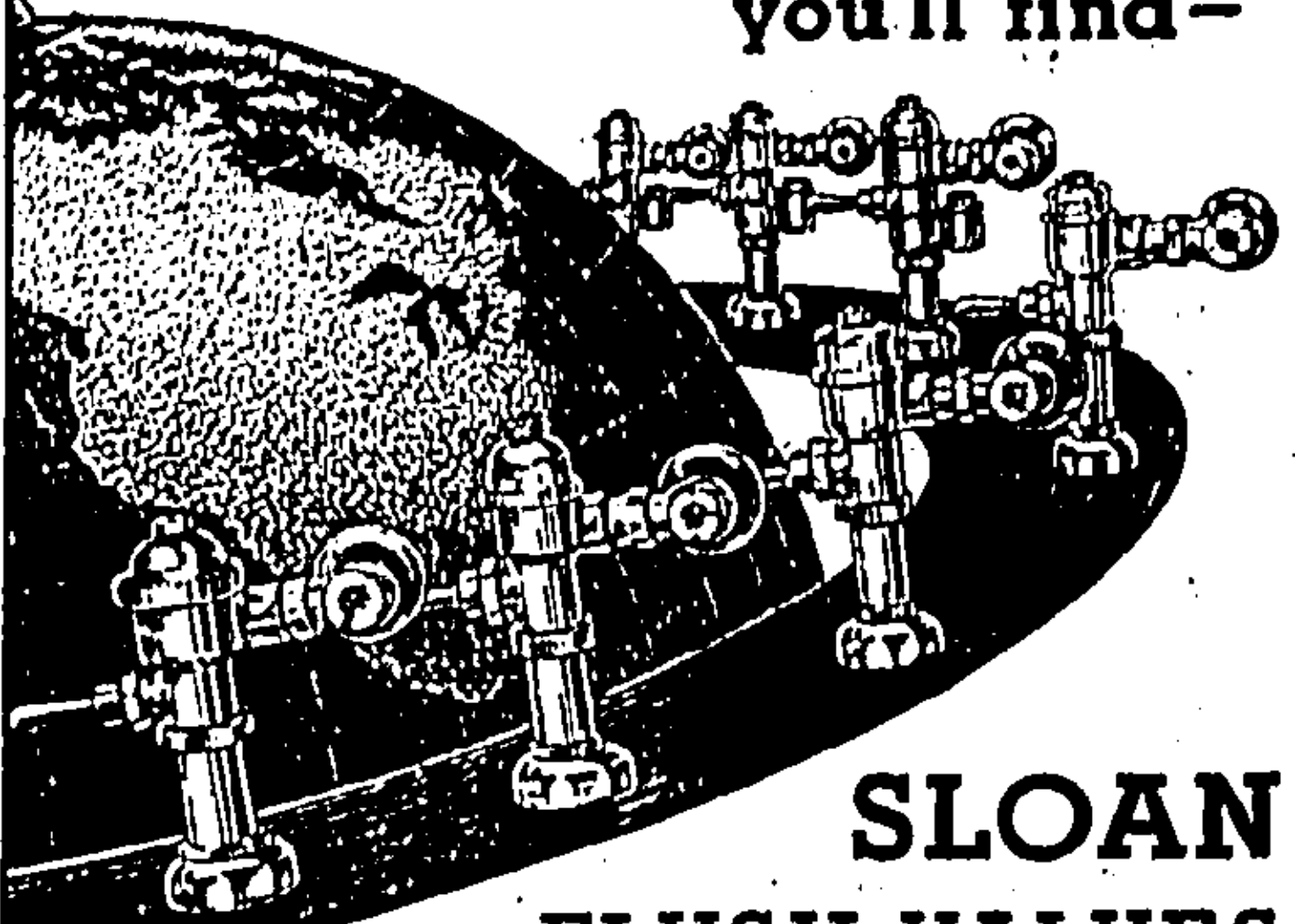
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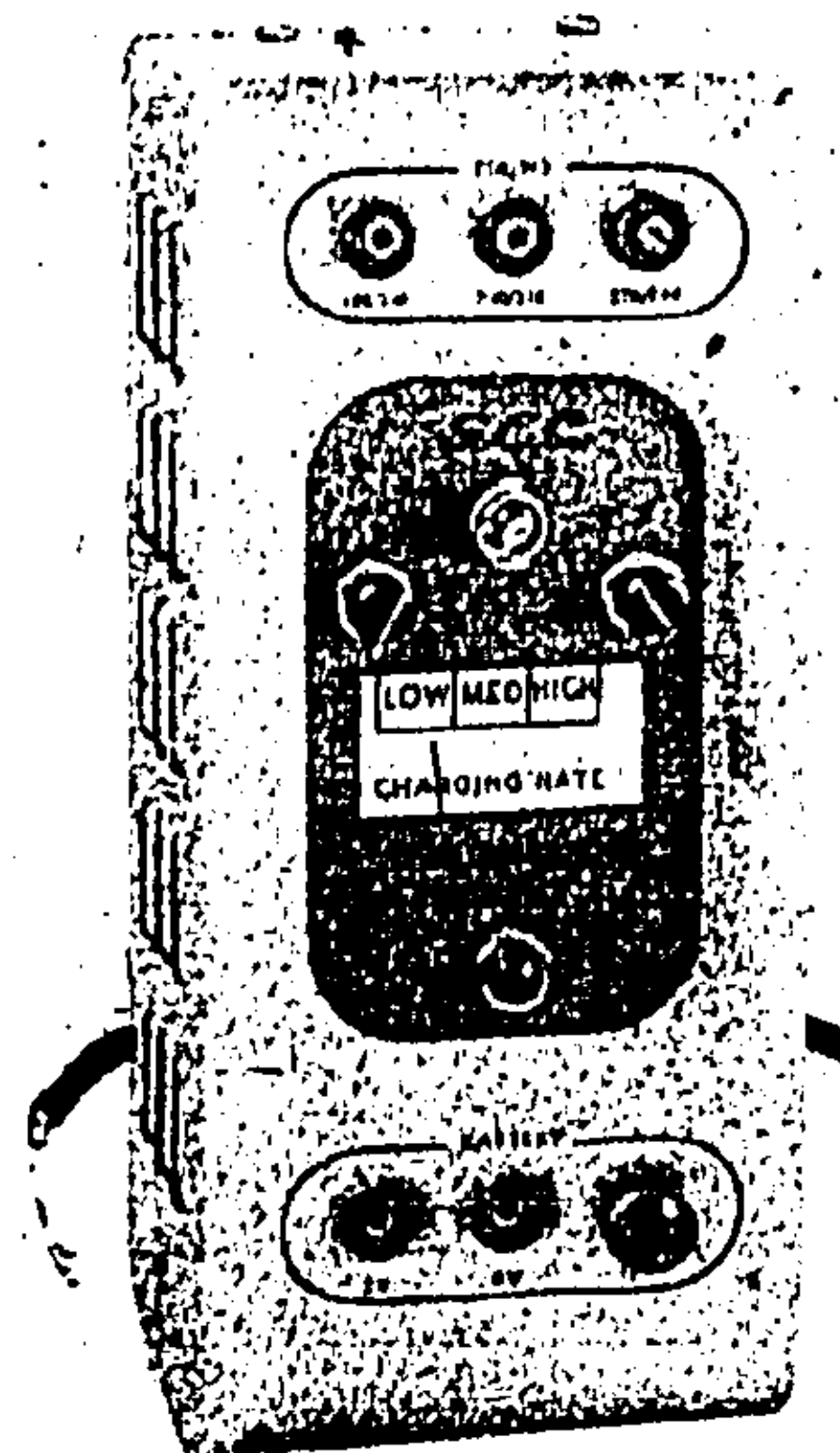


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ENGINEERING PAGE



An electrically operated church organ has been ordered by Shell, to be housed in the Protestant Church near the site of their new Refinery at Cardon in Venezuela. Picture shows workmen testing the tubes and reeds of the organ on the "voicing" machine, which sets the pitch.—"Shell" Photo.

Electric church organ built

An electric church organ, specially designed and constructed in the UK of the best materials to withstand tropical climate, has left Liverpool for shipment to Venezuela.

Its destination is one of the churches being built by Shell for the community living at the refinery town of Cardon on the South West corner of the Paragana Peninsula, overlooking the Gulf of Venezuela.

The organ is a two-manual (i.e. two keyboards) instrument and has an all-electric action. The console (composite keyboard at which the organist sits) is a separate unit which can, therefore, be placed on the opposite side of the church to the pipes in the organ case, so that the view from the nave will be more balanced.

The choice of wood for the organ case and console was determined by climatic conditions—only a wood that could withstand Cardon's tropical climate could be used. The West African opepe wood that was finally chosen is even harder than teak and very resistant to decay. Again, because of the climate, all the electric contacts in the organ, operated by the stops or pedals on the console, have been silver-plated to prevent them rusting.

All electro-magnets and connections have been enclosed in airtight cases to keep out moisture and sand.

Precautions

Elaborate precautions had to be taken against attacks by pests. To safeguard all the woodwork, for instance, it was treated

with a preservative before being finally polished and all the leatherwork was specially treated.

When the first party of Shell engineers landed at Cardon in March, 1945, the adobe huts of Cardon village were almost the only signs of human habitation over an area of several hundred square miles of sand, scrub and cactus.

Since then the site has been transformed by Shell: construction of a refinery with a capacity of about 50,000 b/d. is now nearing completion and it is already in partial operation; various services, such as electric power and water have been provided, to make the refinery a self-contained unit; roads have been laid and a harbour capable of handling ships up to 22,000 d.w.t. has been built.

Adjacent to the refinery a modern town has been erected and eventually it is expected to have a population of about 12,000. Already it comprises hundreds of well-planned and attractive houses, a shopping centre, three schools, a hospital and clinic, a modern laundry, an open-air cinema, a large restaurant, clubs, playing fields and tennis courts.

SHIP CONVERSION

An interesting conversion has been carried out by C. H. Bailey, Ltd., at their Barry works, the Australian-built aircraft-carrier Albattross having been remodelled as a passenger liner for carrying 1,000 men and women in berths in eight separate dormitories.

The diningroom will take 580 at one sitting, and the Hellenic Prince, as the ship is now called, has been chartered to carry European displaced persons to Australia.

STEELWORKS PROJECT

The continuous hot-strip mill which will be installed at the Abbey Works of the Steel Company of Wales Ltd., will be unique in many respects, mainly by virtue of incorporating the very latest techniques and the most modern equipment of every class.

This applies, *inter alia*, to the main drive on the six-stand finishing mill which is being manufactured by the British-Thomson Houston Co., Ltd., and will consist of six D.C. main motors, supplied with direct current from mercury arc rectifiers.

Because of the relatively low speeds entailed, the first two stands of the train will be driven through gears, and the four last stands will be direct coupled. The ratings of these motors are 4,500, 4,500, 5,000, and 4,000 h.p. respectively, their speeds being graded to suit the range of reductions stand by stand throughout the mill.

Speed variation

Shunt-field control will be provided so that each motor speed can be varied up to twice or 2½ times its basic speed, as well as a series exciter to keep speed changing from full load to no load within 2½ per cent. Dynamic braking will be used to bring each motor to rest.

There is a battery of 30 steel-tank grid-controlled rectifiers for producing 21,000-kW D.C. at 800 volts from the 11,000-volt three-phase system.

The transformers will be arranged and connected to ten groups of six-phase tanks to produce 60-phase rectification. Apart from starting up from rest the grids will not be used for controlling the speed of the mill by variation of armature voltage, but to maintain the D.C. voltage at a constant value; their extremely rapid action will be very useful in this connection.

The rectifier tanks will be hermetically sealed, and it is stated that fans are the only non-static equipment required. Single-pole high-speed D.C. circuit breakers will be included for protecting each motor and each group of rectifiers. Operation being by remote control, this will enable any one motor at a time to be inched by grid control for changing the mill rolls.

Cold-reduction mill

In the same review it was also recorded that one of the principal production units is to be a three-stand, cold-reduction mill.

This mill will be located east of the hot mill finishing departments and the hot reduced coils will be brought there by conveyors approximately 1,000ft. long.

The plant will include an 80in. continuous pickle line with four 80ft. acid tanks supplied by the Wellman Engineering Corporation, and an acid recovery plant. There will be an 80in. three-stand reduction mill, each stand being driven by a 400h.p. motor. The maximum finishing speed will be 2,000 f.p.m.

The mill will roll coils up to 40,000lb. in weight, up to 72in. outside diameter, and down to 0.026in. thick. Annealing will be in coke-oven-gas-fired portable-cover type furnaces. Part of the output will be annealed in coil form and part in sheet form.

There will be three skin pass mills of the four-high single-stand type, one of which will mill in oil only, one in either oil or pickle, and one in pickle only. Initially there will be three coil cut-up lines for shearing coils into sheets. In addition there will be shears, rollers, levellers, and other small units.

Electrical equipment at the BIF

The application of electricity to every form of productive activity and service has inspired continual research into possible methods of still further extending its use, and this will be reflected again in the Electrical Group at this year's British Industries Fair.

Radio exhibits will take the form of Portable Television Transmitters. Carried in seven suitcases, the whole equipment can be loaded into a saloon car. When recently demonstrated in America these aroused a great deal of interest.

Radio in any form, however, is secondary from the point of the electrical engineer, who finds his chief responsibility in providing efficient apparatus for industrial operations. In that direction, electric furnaces play a very important part in all kinds of production. The equipment manufactured by exhibitors ranges from small laboratory units to large steel melting furnaces up to 30 tons capacity.

Some of this equipment is far too large for exhibition purposes. For example, a plant recently installed in Holland comprises a large bogie hearth furnace for the heat treatment of marine forgings.

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Other types of industrial plant include ceramic kilns, induction heating units, general heat treatment, and vitreous enamelling furnaces; and, of course there is a wealth of ancillary equipment.

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The whole range of electric fittings, accessories, lamps, fires, cookers, heaters, and other things in every way use will be in the group. There is not likely to be any marked variation in design. Certain changes are always taking place, but apart from styles and finishes, there is not a lot of scope for innovation. New developments which may be mentioned are the radiator convecter models, which are established as favourites in export markets, and a "new look" water heater of rather striking design.

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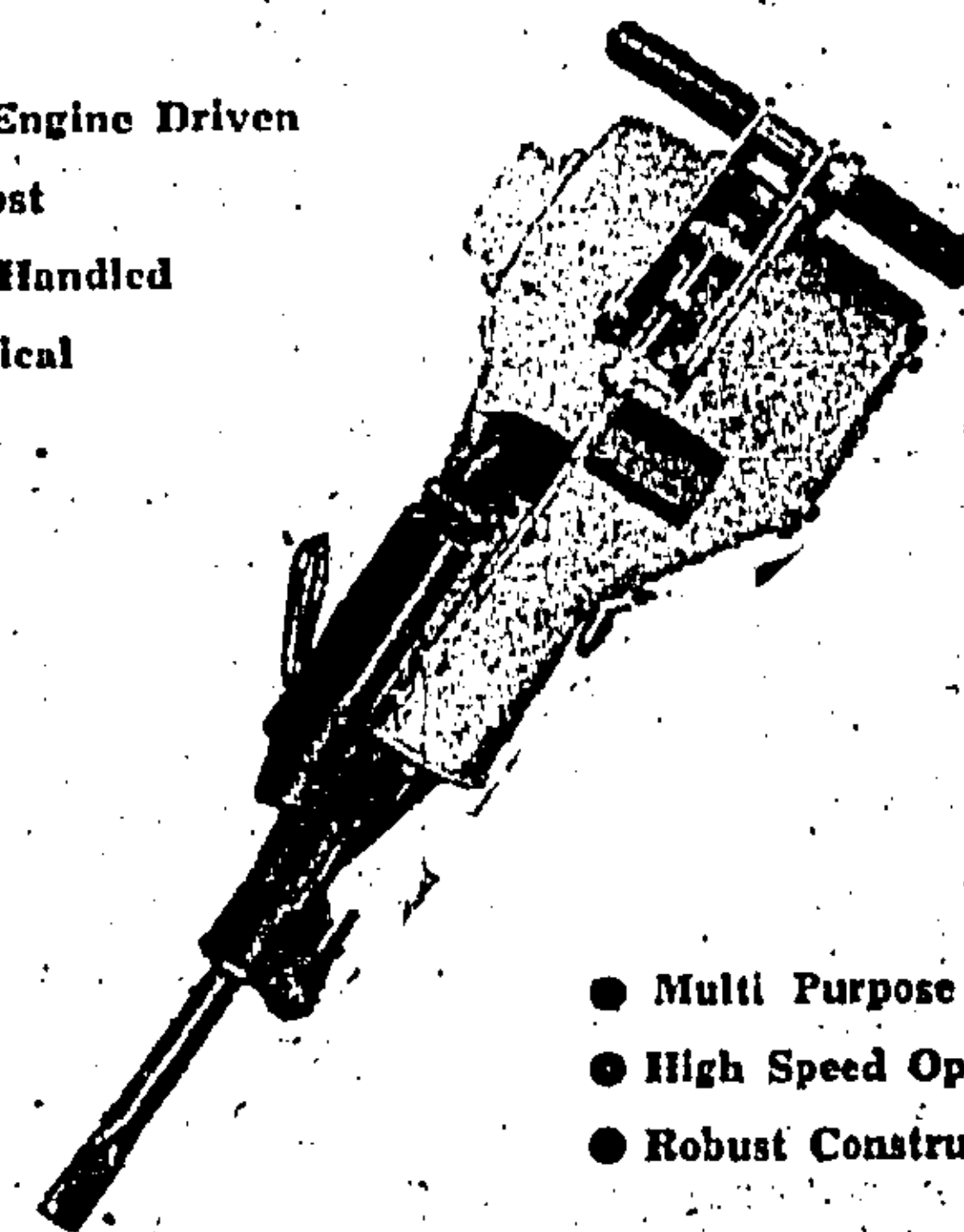
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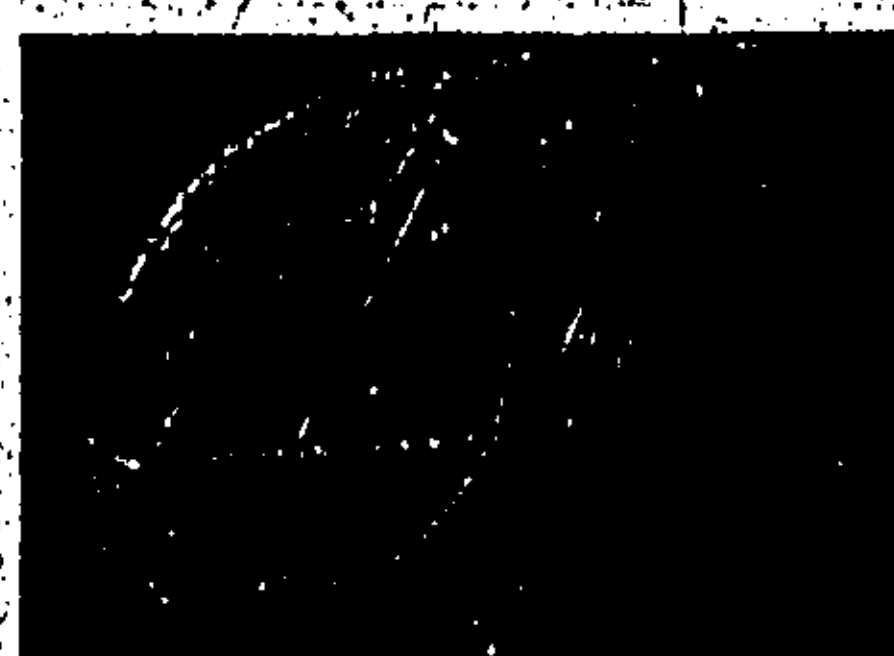
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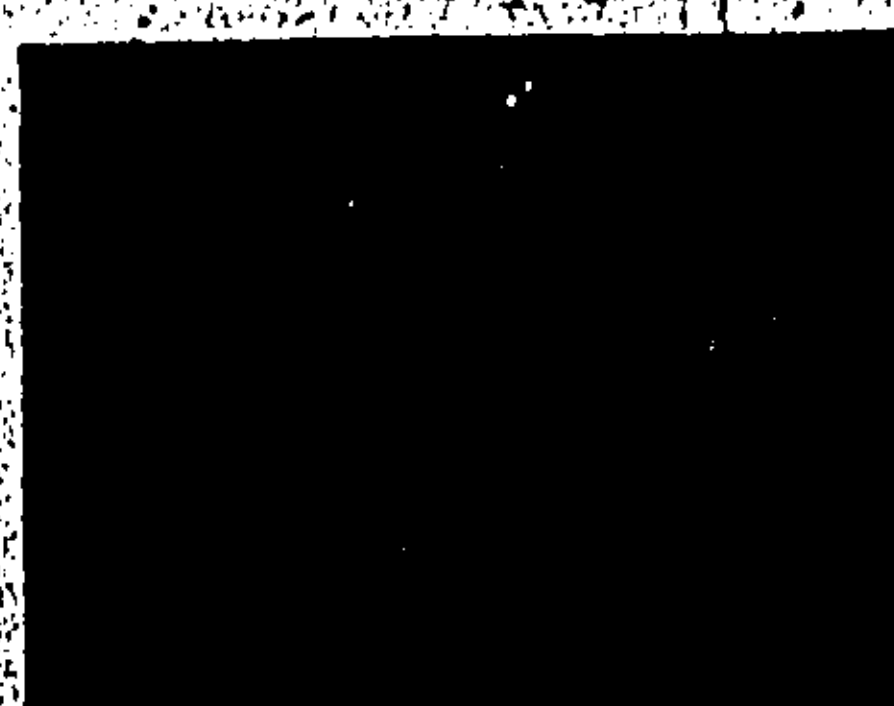
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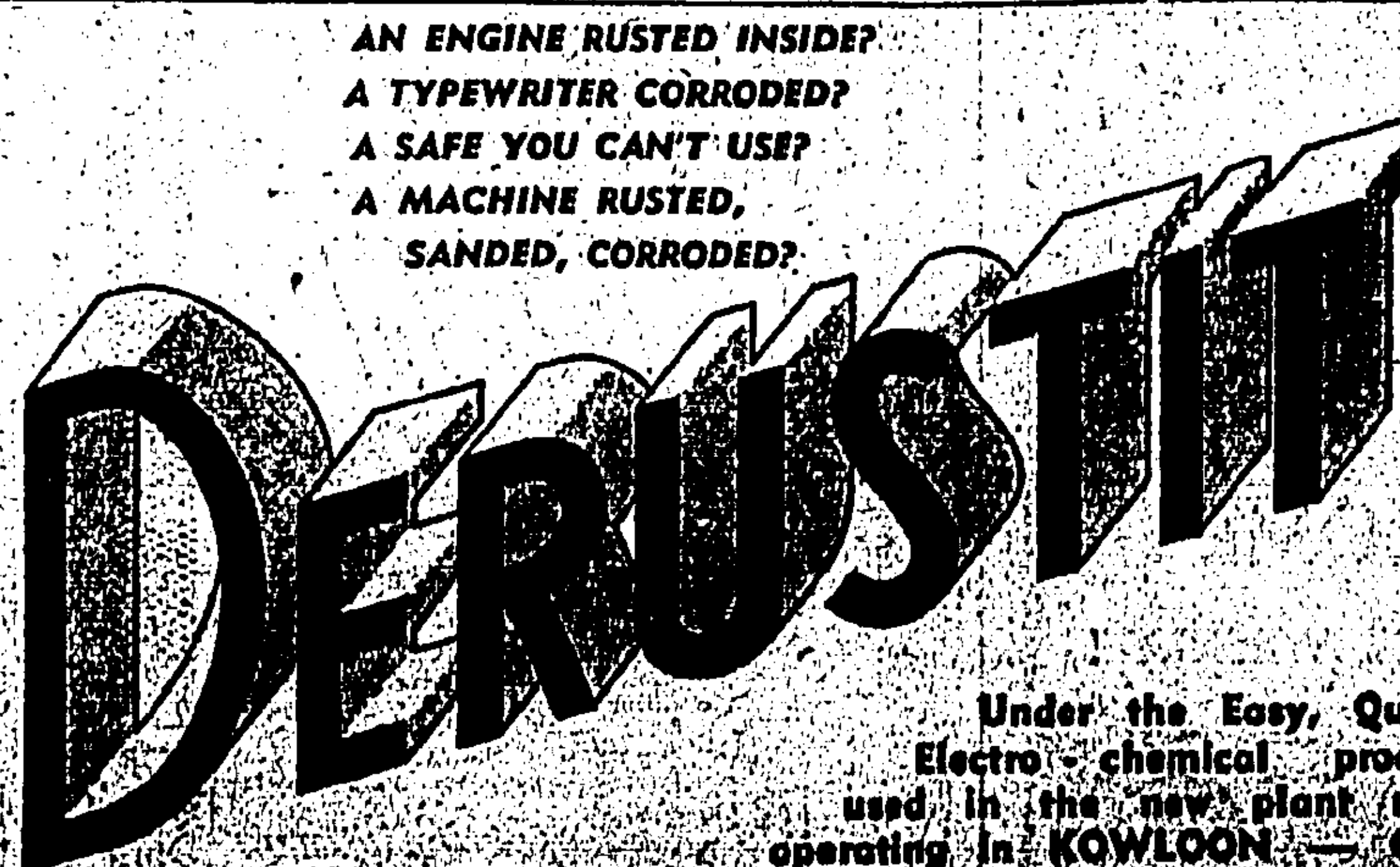
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EX-RED EDITOR AS McCARTHY WITNESS

Washington, April 11.

Louis Budenz, ex-Communist editor, was identified today as Senator Joseph McCarthy's mystery witness against Owen Lattimore and was promptly subpoenaed by Senate investigators to testify publicly on Monday.

Senator McCarthy (Republican, Wisconsin) has said that Mr. Budenz will testify that Mr. Lattimore was known to him as a Communist who was subject to Party discipline.

It was considered to be the "make or break" case in the Senator's wholesale complaint of alleged Communism in the State Department.

Shortly after Mr. Budenz was named by the Senate Foreign Relations sub-committee investigating Senator McCarthy's charges, Mr. Lattimore issued a statement in which he denied ever knowing Mr. Budenz. He also recalled that he had already sworn under oath that he was never a Communist.

In Midland, Michigan, Mr. Budenz expressed surprise at Senator McCarthy naming him as chief witness against Mr. Lattimore.

"I have never seen Senator McCarthy in my whole life," he said. "I don't know him. This development today has been a surprise to me."

Mr. Budenz, who is in Midland on a lecture trip, refused to discuss the charges against Mr. Lattimore.

Serious matter

"As an ex-Communist, I am in a peculiar position," he explained. "This is a serious matter and I must conduct myself carefully."

In the meantime, the Committee chairman, Senator Millard

Tydings (Democrat, Maryland), disclosed that the Committee had set April 12 as the deadline for Senator McCarthy to turn over the names of all witnesses or other information he has in support of his charges against both Mr. Lattimore and the State Department.

Senator Tydings also said Mr. Lattimore would be given a chance to testify after Mr. Budenz is heard, but he said the Senator had rejected the Far Eastern expert's request for permission to cross-examine Mr. Budenz, who was formerly on the Communist "Daily Worker" and is now a lecturer at Fordham University.—United Press.

Ambitious expansion scheme for education in Malaya

Singapore, April 11.

Communist-m e n a c e d Malaya is striving to save its future generations from the peril of the hammer and sickle.

Gigantic and lavish programmes are being put into effect in Singapore and Malaya to rush the education of some 600,000 unfortunate children of school-going age who now do not attend school.

"We have to get on with the job. It is urgent. We cannot afford to let our schools become the tools of unscrupulous political agencies," said a Government spokesman.

In Malaya, English and Malay primary and secondary education facilities are being expanded under a six-year plan.

Federation education authorities started a teacher training system in 1948 to alleviate the dire shortage of educators. A year after its inception, 6,400 student teachers who will go to all parts of the country to staff English, Chinese, Malay and Indian schools were undergoing instruction.

The great problem is the shortage of teachers, says Mr. Holgate, Federation Director of Education. Temporary buildings can be erected, he added, but no progress can be made without good teachers.

The six-year plan involves a cost of \$350,000,000. It will set up a training college for English school teachers, a college for Malay men and another for women, a centre for Tamil teachers and a school for Chinese teachers.

Cannot wait

In Singapore, so far free from Communist terrorism, plans are more lavish. A 10-year programme is expected to cost \$220,000,000.

The Government is building new schools at the rate of 18 a year. They are spread throughout the island, enabling children in remote districts to get an education.

These schools, built to accommodate 500 pupils each, will be double units, with morning and afternoon sessions.

Education authorities say they cannot wait until fully qualified teachers are available in sufficient numbers. Ten

thousand children of the age of six are turned away each year because the combined resources of English, Chinese, Indian and Malay schools cannot absorb them. And the political situation demands urgent action.

They have begun to use unqualified educators under a supplementary scheme. These teachers attend a training course after working hours, move into the regular Normal Class and finally end up in the Teachers Training College.

This new institution, embodied in the Infant University of Malaya, will have 1,000 student teachers under training when it opens in September.

Twenty-five per cent of the college's output will be siphoned into the Chinese schools, for 70,000 of Singapore's 12,000

children are receiving a Chinese education.

A special endeavour is to be made to introduce British Democracy into every Chinese school. For many of these institutions have been the suspected breeding grounds of Communist ideologies for some time. Early this year police picked up highly seditious leaflets in two Singapore Chinese schools.

Black-list

Hundreds of little unregistered Chinese schools mushroomed in the colony following the liberation. It was generally believed they were Communist-backed.

In February, 1949 education authorities had a black-list of 112 unregistered Chinese schools. They warned that if politics were introduced action would follow. Twelve months later only 19 remained.

A. W. Frisby, Singapore Director of Education, said the Government is going to ensure that every teacher entrusted with the education of the future Malayan is himself fully fledged in the principles of British Democracy.

"We are going to make sure he will have a sound background of the social sciences, civics and economics so that the pupils turned out will be able to take their rightful place in democratic society," he declared.

When the 10-year plan comes to an end, education in Singapore will become compulsory. There will be training facilities for 300,000 children, and rigorous inspection of all schools, methods of teaching and text books.

Singapore education authorities say this is the biggest year in the progress of education in this part of the world. They are celebrating it with "Education Week."

Between May 8 and May 13 the colony's cosmopolitan peoples will be acquainted with what goes on in the schools. Parents will be shown the civil and citizenship training given their children. One thousand children will give a display of gymnastics and weightlifting. The "week" winds up with a youth drama and music festival in which school children will perform.—Associated Press.

MALAYA HEROES HONOURED

London, April 11.

A Major who risked death at point blank range and a Lieutenant-Colonel who defeated the Communist leader Thong Chin Nam in Malaya last January, today received the Distinguished Service Order.

They were Major Peter Richardson of the 1/2nd King Edward Seventh Own Gurkha Rifles, and Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Philip Townsend of the 1/6th Gurkha Rifles.

The London Gazette also announced the award of the Distinguished Conduct Medal to Warrant Officer Bhimbahadur Pun, and the mention in despatches of Corporal Udilal Pun, both of the 1/2nd King Edward Seventh Battalion.

Lieutenant-Colonel Townsend's citation for the pursuit and killing of Thong Chin Nam and 12 of his followers said, "His effective control of the situation reduced the bandits to a starvation diet and resulted in the most sustained pursuit of a Communist gang yet achieved during the emergency in Malaya."

Major Richardson risked death at point blank range North of Labis in North Johore last January, killed two bandits and, being a commotion in his rear, turned in time to kill a third bandit who was attacking a Rifleman with a parang. Major Richardson has been throughout an inspiration to all and he possesses the highest qualifications and attributes of an outstanding and courageous fighting Company commander, the citation said.

In the same action Warrant Officer Bhimbahadur Pun cut off the Communists' retreat with his platoon and regardless of the heavy fire directed at him in open and marshy country, led his men in pursuit.—Reuter.

ANTI-RED TALKS IN FAR EAST

Manila, April 11. The "Philippines Herald" said today that the forthcoming Manila visit of Brigadier-General Carlos Romulo, the Philippines' permanent delegate to the United Nations, might result in an adjustment of plans for a South East Asia anti-Communist conference at Baguio.

The newspaper suggested that the delegates might be made in view of the British Commonwealth conference on the rehabilitation of South East Asia to be held in Australia in May. It is now certain that the conference in Australia will be held well ahead of the Manila visit, and it is not unlikely that the Philippine Government will send observers to the paper added.—Reuter.

Princess' visit to a bird sanctuary



Princess Elizabeth on her West Country tour made a tour of the Severn Wild Fowl Trust's bird sanctuary at Slimbridge, Gloucestershire. The Princess was conducted round parts of the sanctuary by Commander Peter Scott, Director of the Trust. Hatless, wearing wellington boots, H.R.H. strolled round the pens of tame ducks and geese, and fed them with handfuls of corn. Photo shows—Princess Elizabeth (right), wearing wellington boots, feeding wild fowl during her tour. Beside the Princess, holding bucket, is Commander Peter Scott, Director of the Trust. (Associated Press Photo).

America exporting important concept

New York, April 11.

George C. McGhee, U.S. Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern, South Asian and African Affairs, said tonight that perhaps the most important contribution of President Harry Truman's "Point Four" programme would be the export of the concept of the inherent dignity of man.

The Point Four programme is designed primarily to give American technical aid to under-developed areas.

Mr. McGhee told the Foreign Policy Association "This concept is the fundamental difference between our system and that of totalitarian Russia."

He added, "This is our conviction: that man is not a statistic in a five-year plan—nor an automaton behind the machine nor a tool of foreign policy."

Mr. McGhee said that under the Point Four programme now being debated in Congress, the U.S. has no desire or intention of imposing its assistance.

He recalled that the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, said recently that the U.S. has a number of techniques "We are preparing to make available if they are wanted, where they are wanted, and under circumstances where they have a fighting chance of being successful."

Must be adapted

Mr. McGhee referred to the recent Clapp report recommend-

ing four small projects for relief among Arabs in the Middle East.

The report, he said, showed that the peoples of the Middle East, "because of their basic lack of technical skill, administrative talents, local capital and other factors, were unable to proceed with large scale development schemes which have dazzled many whose aspirations exceeded their resources."

Mr. McGhee added: "Point Four teachings must be adapted to the peoples who receive them, otherwise our efforts are unrealistic and useless."—Associated Press.

Palermo, Sicily, April 11. Mrs. Nina Piazza, aged 31, mother of six sons, hoped her seventh baby would be a girl. She gave birth today to triplets—three more boys.—Associated Press.

Meat ration may be short in Britain

London, April 11. London housewives were warned by their butchers today that they will get short rations of meat this week unless 800 truck drivers at Smithfield Market agree to work overtime.

The drivers announced last week they would not work overtime, after their demand for 40 new lorries had been turned down by their employers.

The drivers will meet on Tuesday night, however, to reconsider their decision.—United Press.

FOOD FOR CHINA URGED

New York, April 11.

The "Herald-Tribune" in an editorial today, urged that American food shipments be sent to China.

The paper said: "The awful implications of the famine news from China deeply touched the humanitarian impulses of the American people. The threat of the starvation of 10,000,000 Chinese cannot be shrugged off lightly by the outside world, even if China's Red rulers insist on treating the problem as a purely domestic one. There are times when humanitarianism considerations should stand above makers of political strategy."

"Senator William Knowland—himself an outstanding critic of Chinese Communism—has taken the lead in advocating the despatch of some of our food surpluses to China's famine sufferers. 'Obviously, the minimum conditions for any such aid would have to be:

"1. That it be distributed through non-Communist agencies; "2. That Americans be given some part in the supervision of distribution so as to ensure that the food reaches the people who really need it."

"That the source of supplies be made known to the recipients. "Since Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek appealed for world aid for China's hungry millions it is possible that he would be persuaded to permit the passage of food ships through the blockade to Communist ports."

"The problem is clearly one for urgent study, for most serious consideration and for as prompt a decision as possible by the United States."—United Press.

PREFERENCE FOR MARSHALL AID

Washington, April 11.

Democratic leaders in the United States Senate decided tonight to give top priority to the bill authorizing continued Marshall Aid following a warning from President Truman that the Marshall Plan is more important at this time than any other.

Senator Scott Lucas, Democratic majority leader, said that President Truman had urged preference for the Foreign Aid Bill at a conference with him earlier today.

As a result the Bill has been given priority over a fair employment practices measure, part of the disputed civil rights programme and will be called up when Senate work on flood control legislation has been completed, he said.—Reuter.

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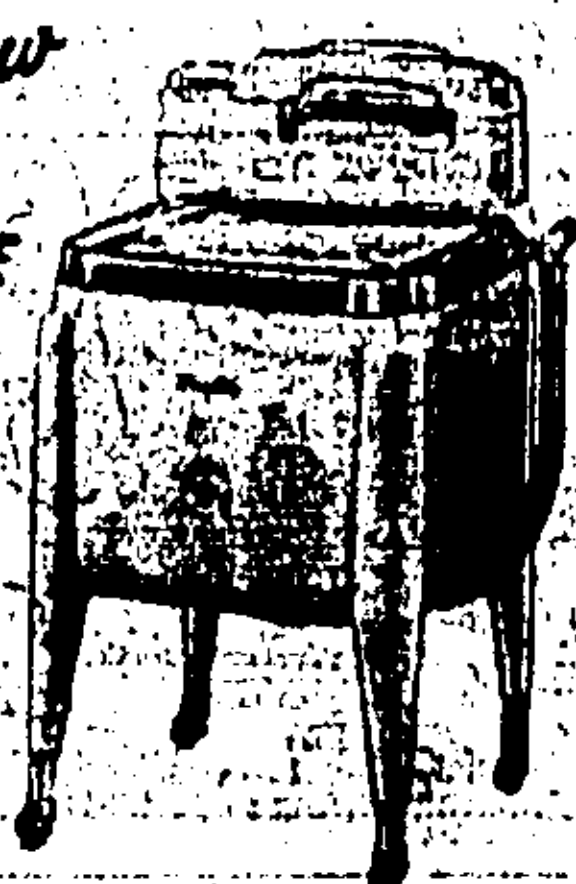


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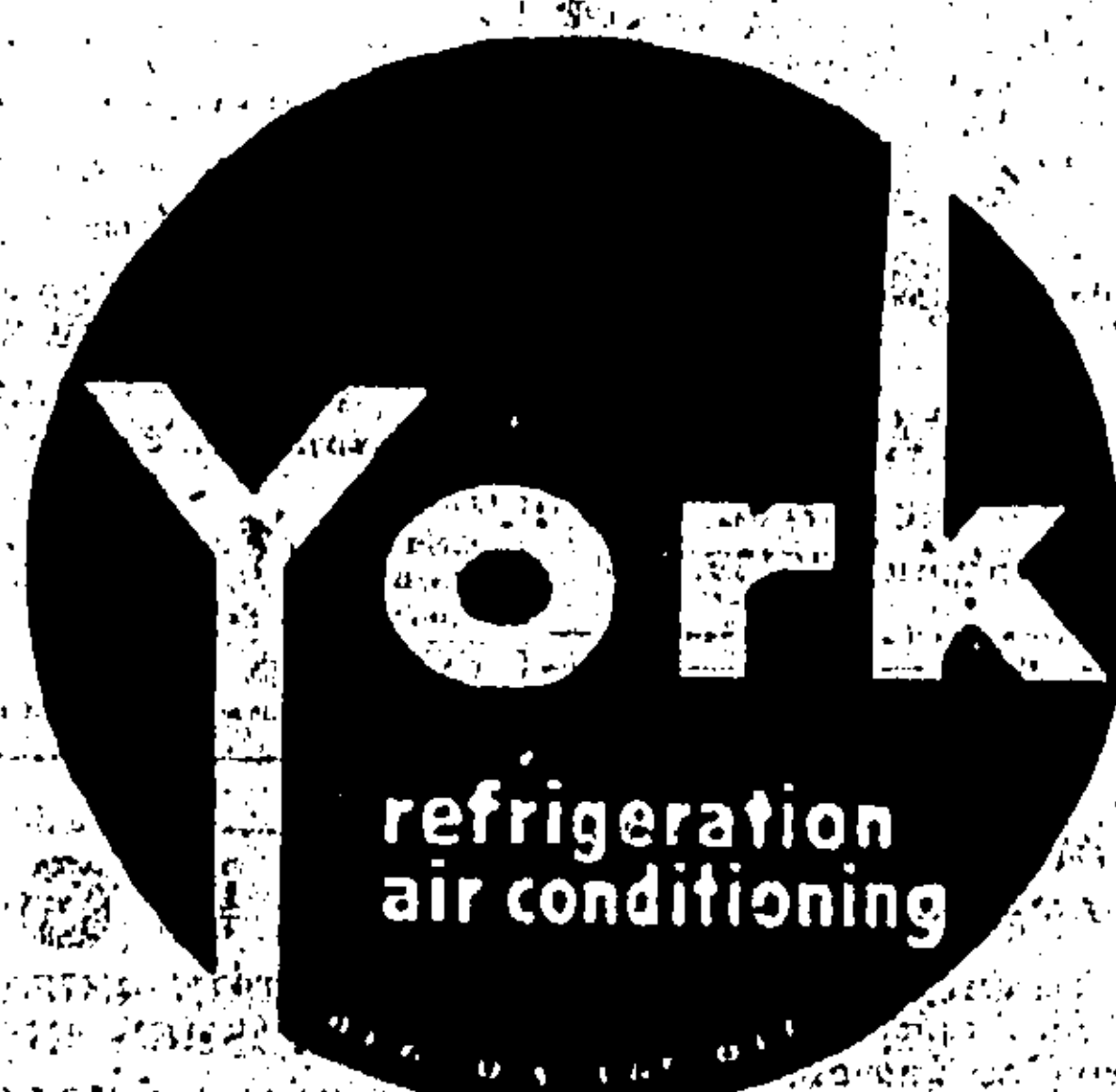


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Crew leave ship after explosion

New York, April 11.

An Italian freighter informed the Coast Guard late today that it had picked up the entire crew of the Norwegian freighter Geisha, which was rocked by an explosion about 680 miles South East of Newfoundland.

The Coast Guard said the Italian vessel was about five hours from the Geisha at 1900 GMT.

Coast Guard headquarters here received a message from the cutter Ingham, which picked it up while steaming to the scene. Ingham relayed the following message from the Paolina, an Italian freighter:

"All men of the Geisha on board. All well. Medical assistance not required."

The Coast Guard had no other information on the rescue and said it would be about 10 hours before the Ingham or the second cutter, Bartaria, could reach the scene.

An explosion aboard the Geisha forced crewmen to take to the lifeboats. Earlier, Mackay Radio had reported that the Norwegian freighter Cypris and an unidentified Italian vessel were steaming to the aid of the Geisha. The Coast Guard late today ordered the Bartaria to proceed from its ocean weather station, North East of Bermuda, to the scene.

Ice patrol helps

The International Ice Patrol at Argentina, Newfoundland, which had been requested to aid in the search, had promised to send out a search plane to help find lifeboats. The distress call of the Geisha had been received by several Coast Guard vessels on patrol far out in the Atlantic and said: "Explosion on board. Need

ALLEGED SCHEME OF ABDULLAH

Cairo, Apr. 11.

The Independent Arabic newspaper "Al Mokattam" said today that King Abdullah of Transjordan plans to annex both Saudi Arabia and Arab Palestine to Jordan.

The paper said Mohammed Fahmi Hashem, Jordanian Minister in Saudi Arabia, left his post and fled to Cairo after Abdullah ordered him to send weekly reports to Amman on the situation in Saudi Arabia with a view to its eventual annexation.

Hashem Pasha, who took refuge in Cairo on March 21, does not intend to return to Transjordan.—United Press.

Communists outlawed by Bolivia

La Paz, April 11.

The Bolivian Government today outlawed the Communist Party and arrested 52 of its leaders.

The Bolivian Government claimed on March 28 that it had foiled a Communist revolutionary plot planned to start on March 28 under the leadership of a high Russian military chief and French Communist agents.

A Government communique then said that the leaders of the alleged plot had been arrested while meeting to arrange the final details.

A pastoral letter of the Bolivian Catholic Episcopate published a week ago declared all Communists to be apostates—faithless to the Catholic Faith.—Reuter.

COMMUNAL RIOTS

New Delhi, April 11.

Two were killed and nine wounded today in a communal disturbance at Bareilly, United Provinces, according to a correspondent of "The Statesman."

A curfew has been enforced.—Associated Press.

FEARS OF CRISIS ON TRIESTE ISSUE

Belgrade, April 11.

The new Italian-Yugoslav dispute over Trieste threatens to become a crisis which could change the political situation in Yugoslavia, Western diplomats believe.

Behind the exchange of charges between Rome and Belgrade are a series of diplomatic moves by the Italian Government to get Western support for the return of Trieste to Italy.

Trieste was set up in the Italian peace treaty as a free territory.

But the Big Four powers were never able to agree upon a candidate for governor, so the area has remained divided between Zone (A) which includes the city of Trieste and is occupied by the Western Allies, and Zone (B) which is occupied by the Yugoslavs. Elections will be held in Zone (B) next Sunday.

An Italian informant said that the Italian Government is pressing the United States, Britain, Belgium and France to implement their March 20, 1948 declaration calling for the return of all Trieste to Italy. That would require a revision of the Italian peace treaty.

Western European diplomats here said that, should Rome's

aid from the West without political conditions. Tito would be hard pressed to explain at home any relaxation of his long-standing demand that Trieste should be Yugoslav territory.

In Rome, the Soviet Ambassador, Mikhail Kostylev, called at the Italian Foreign Office on Tuesday for what is believed to have been an urgent discussion of the Italian-Yugoslav dispute over Trieste. He was closeted with the Italian Foreign Minister, Count Carlo Sforza, for half an hour. The subject of their discussion was not disclosed, but it is generally believed to have been Trieste.

Russia supported Yugoslavia's claim to the territory before the Communists expelled Marshal Tito.

Since then, there has been periodic speculation that Russia might support the joint Anglo-American proposal that the territory be returned to Italy.

Count Sforza offered on Sunday to negotiate the cessation of some of the Trieste territory to Yugoslavia if Yugoslavia would recognize Italy's nominal right to the whole area.—United Press.

U.S. support asked

It is understood that Italy is seeking United States support for her desire to have Yugoslavia renounce its claims to Zone (B) with minor border changes. If the West applies pressure on Yugoslavia, the slowly improving political relationship between Belgrade and Washington, and tend to weaken Tito's regime internally, Western diplomats said.

Such a policy, they said, would threaten Tito's programme of accepting economic

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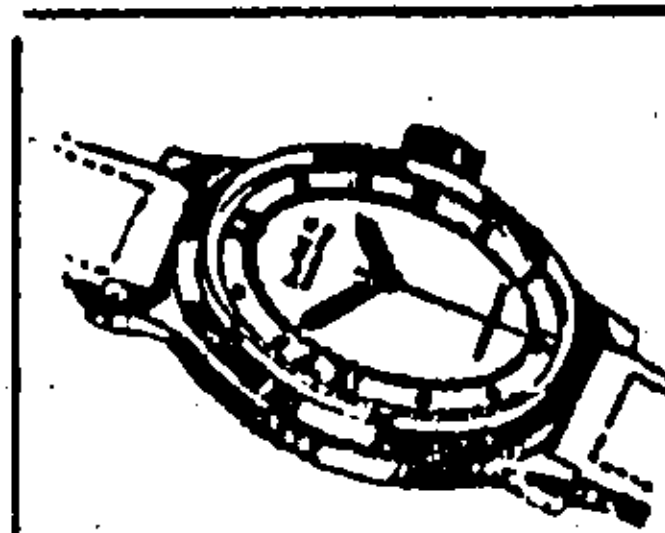
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Yachting jottings:

HK BEAT SINGAPORE IN INTERPORT SERIES

(By "MAINSHEET BLOCK")

A series of four races were sailed during the week-end between teams of the Royal Singapore and Royal Hong Kong Yacht Clubs. Hong Kong won the series by 71 points to 69 points. The races were all very keenly contested and after being equal in points at the end of the third race the result was in doubt till the last boat finished the final race.

The weather generally was fair, with light to moderate breezes and at the most a drizzle of rain. Two dinghy races were sailed on Saturday, the first of which was in many ways the best race of the four.

The wind, though dropping, was the strongest and the dinghies remained close together throughout with frequent changes in position. The course was Far APC Cust race, No. 5, the line, B2, No. 5 and the line. At the start, the boats were spread out over the line. In the cross tacking to the APC buoy, the manner in which Blyth and Macaulay followed each other's moves was particularly noticeable. They stood further into the wind, way than the remainder of the fleet.

Positions at first mark

At the first mark the order was Macaulay, Blyth, Holiday and Young. But after the reach to Cust Rock, Blyth had taken the lead. Running down past No. 1 Buoy Blyth was still ahead but followed now by Mrs. Lyle, Lyle, Macaulay, Yourself, Young, Holiday and Caley very close together.

At the end of the first lap, the order was Blyth, Young, Yourself, Lyle, Caley, Mrs. Lyle, Holiday and Macaulay. On the beat up to B2, Young stood well out into the harbour and lost a place, Mrs. Lyle also overtook Caley. The result was Singapore 19 points and Hong Kong 17 points.

Singapore unlucky

The second race was less exciting, as in a dropping wind there was far less passing. Singapore were unlucky in that Mrs. Lyle hit a mark and Blyth on the port tack crossed Caley's bows with a debatable small clearance, and retired. The result was Hong Kong 22 points and Singapore 11 points.

On Monday, the third and fourth races were sailed in Reddings.

The breeze was light, slightly South of East and gradually getting lighter. In the first race on a course giving a long beat to the Port Health Office buoy, run to Cust Rock and a reach back to the line, Mrs. Lyle quickly took the lead, followed by Lyle and Miss Loseby.

Insufficient room

The race was decided on the first beat, after which there was no change in position. At PHO, Macaulay attempted to gybe between Holiday and the buoy to gain the windward position and discovered too late that there was insufficient room to keep clear. After this race each club had 52 points. For the final race, the course was B1, HWD, 2, Cust Rock, B4, line, B1, line all to port. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle and Blyth, in the middle of the line, made excellent starts. Corbett crossed at the windward end with Holiday and Macaulay under his lee at the leeward end Miss Loseby was recalled.

Mrs. Lyle followed by Mr. Lyle, again sailed ahead with the next four, splitting locks all the way to arrive at the mark in the order Corbett and Macaulay, with Holiday and Blyth very close together. Then Darby and Miss Loseby. At Cust Rock the middle four boats were nearly abeam, Blyth overtaking to windward and Holiday at the leeward end, when Holiday began to luff and it seemed possible that all four boats would pass the wrong side of the mark.

Rounded correctly

However, they rounded correctly. Darby and Miss Loseby had meanwhile drawn closer. There was no change until B4 was reached. Here a destroyer lay North and South across the wind. Mrs. Lyle, arriving first, misjudged the large lee and had difficulty keeping away from the destroyer.

Mrs. Lyle passed slowly through the lee, while the remainder, grouped together in the wind shadow, crept slowly through escaping in the order Corbett, Macaulay, Mrs. Lyle, Holiday, Darby, Miss Loseby and Blyth. On the beat to B1 Mrs. Lyle overtook Macaulay. And on the run down, Darby and Holiday had a long luffing match. The result was a win for Hong Kong by 19 points to 17 for Hong

Kong won the series by 71 points to 69 points.

Visitors were better

The visitors sailed far more as a team than Hong Kong and were better in marking, particularly Holiday, who usually had a boat trapped under his lee. They are to be congratulated on having the first boat home in every race.

After the race, the Commodore N.V.A. Croucher, thanked the visitors for coming up and enabling the club to enjoy such very excellent racing.

He recalled the previous Interport race with Singapore when the Chairman of the Singapore Yacht Club, Margaret, was sent up to race the Hong Kong Champion the Rolla, both yachts of about 24 foot waterline. The Rolla won but that was 25 years ago. He hoped that the next gap between Interports would be considerably less.

Souvenirs of the occasions were presented to the competing helmsmen by Mrs. Macaulay. Mr. Holiday, on behalf of the visitors, thanked the club for the racing which the Singapore team had enjoyed here.

Quadrilateral Interport

On Thursday evening, there will be an informal quadrilateral Interport race between Tientsin, Shanghai, Singapore and Hong Kong. This is indeed an impressive start to the season's Thursday evening races.

The team race next Sunday will be between International and Residents.

The list of those wishing to learn to sail or to improve their knowledge can be much longer. The opening day will be Tuesday evening, April 18, when it is hoped that as many novices and instructors as possible will turn up. The next Ladies race will be at 4.30 p.m. on Sunday, April 23. Keep Saturday April 29, free for the Rowing Regatta and Barbecue at Middle Island. The moon is full.

Results

The results of last week's races were:

Saturday, April 8
RBYC v RHYC—3rd Team Race: 1st Blyth (1), 107.22 (88); 2nd Yourself (1), 109.24 (88); 3rd Young (1), 109.53 (88); 4th Lyle (10), 110.50 (88); 5th Mrs. Lyle (10), 111.00 (88); 6th Caley (10), 112.00 (88); 7th Holiday (10), 112.23 (88); 8th Macaulay (10), 112.42 (88).

RBYC v RHYC—2nd Team Race: 1st Lyle (11), 65.59 (88); 2nd Young (11), 66.11 (88); 3rd Yourself (11), 66.23 (88); 4th Macaulay (10), 103.54 (88); 5th Yourself (5), 104.25 (88); 6th Holiday (14), 104.54 (88); 7th Mrs. Lyle (15), 105.00 (88).

RBYC v RHYC—Redding Team Race: 1st Mrs. Lyle (6), 113.35 (88); 2nd Lyle (12), 113.55 (87); 3rd Miss Loseby (10), 114.25 (88); 4th Blyth (10), 114.32 (88); 5th Corbett (10), 114.54 (88); 6th Yourself (10), 115.00 (88); 7th Holiday (10), 115.23 (88); 8th Macaulay (10), 115.42 (88).

RBYC v RHYC—3rd Redding Team Race: 1st Lyle (12), 67.47 (88); 2nd Yourself (12), 67.59 (88); 3rd Young (12), 68.11 (88); 4th Macaulay (10), 103.54 (88); 5th Yourself (5), 104.25 (88); 6th Holiday (14), 104.54 (88); 7th Mrs. Lyle (15), 105.00 (88); 8th Blyth (10), 105.23 (88); 9th Corbett (10), 105.42 (88); 10th Macaulay (10), 105.61 (88); 11th Holiday (10), 105.80 (88); 12th Mrs. Lyle (10), 106.00 (88); 13th Blyth (10), 106.23 (88); 14th Corbett (10), 106.42 (88); 15th Macaulay (10), 106.61 (88); 16th Holiday (10), 106.80 (88); 17th Mrs. Lyle (10), 107.00 (88); 18th Blyth (10), 107.23 (88); 19th Corbett (10), 107.42 (88); 20th Macaulay (10), 107.61 (88); 21st Holiday (10), 107.80 (88); 22nd Mrs. Lyle (10), 108.00 (88); 23rd Blyth (10), 108.23 (88); 24th Corbett (10), 108.42 (88); 25th Macaulay (10), 108.61 (88); 26th Holiday (10), 108.80 (88); 27th Mrs. Lyle (10), 109.00 (88); 28th Blyth (10), 109.23 (88); 29th Corbett (10), 109.42 (88); 30th Macaulay (10), 109.61 (88); 31st Holiday (10), 109.80 (88); 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